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LOCAL NEWS.

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it's news to be relied upon; if it is
news and so, you'll see it in the
Townsman.

To Townsman Readers.

The readers of the Townsman will
learn with regret that H. S. Stillings,
who has for the past four years been
so closely linked with town life as the
reporter for these columns, has taken
the position of advertising man and
assistant to the business manager of
the Lawrence Telegram.

No one who has been connected with
the Townsman has established a stronger
hold upon the Andover public than
has Mr. Stillings, and he will go into
his new field, with its larger oppor-
tunities, carrying the most cordial good
wishes of every reader of the Towns-
man. His place will be taken by Wm.
C. Bliss, son of the Andover postmaster,
whose spurs are yet to be won. That
he will not fail to win them, we have
not the least doubt, and we bespeak
for him in his efforts the same cordial
assistance from the public, that has
always been given to the representatives
of this paper.

J. E. Whiting is advertising a new line
of Phillips seals.

Mrs. Fred Wilbur of Newton was in
town last Monday.

Miss Katherine Bradley, of Dorchester,
was in town Wednesday.

George W. Tibbets of South Berwick,
Maine, was in town, Sunday.

William H. Higgins has sold a valuable
sorel colt to parties in Salem.

Only a few good seats left for the en-
tertainment of Miss Herford, May 3.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Manning, of Mel-
rose Highlands, were in town last week.

Easter sale of Girls' Friendly society,
Wednesday, April 29, at Christ church
parish rooms.

Alexander MacKenzie has entered the
employ of H. F. Chase, the local athletic
puttifer and bicycle dealer.

L. A. Belknap, who has been sojourning
in Boston, made a short visit to An-
dover, Saturday and Sunday.

Flags were waving, Monday, over the
Post Office, the Town hall, the Memorial
hall, and the Grand Army hall.

Punchard vs. Reading High. The
first Middlesex league game, Monday,
April 27, on Punchard grounds.

J. Newton Cole with his family and a
few friends spent part of last week at
his summer residence in Clifton.

Rummage sale in the Abbott Village
hall next Wednesday and Thursday
afternoons. Come for bargains.

Mrs. Robert S. Lindsay and son of
Lowell, are visiting Mr. and Mrs.
Adam S. Lindsay, Washington avenue.

The through electric to Reading were
well patronized Sunday and Monday,
indicating that the summer traffic has
begun.

The selectmen will begin their annual
tour of assessing personal property and
real estate, May 1st. Dog licenses are
due at this date.

The Young Men's Club of the Free
church will be addressed at the meeting
next Monday evening, by Rev. Charles
P. Marshall of Lawrence.

Easter sale at Christ church parish
rooms, Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock;
admission free. Entertainment in the
evening; admission 15 cents.

The damage done to the windows on
the Locke estate on Elm street was the
work of thoughtless children and not of
miscreants as was supposed.

At evening prayers last Sunday at
Christ church, Roland Sewell sang in a
very finished manner, "I know that my
Redeemer liveth," from the Messiah.

Miss Alice Edwe, daughter of James
C. Lowe, who formerly resided here but
now of Lynn, spent from Saturday till
Monday with her friend, Miss Annie
Soutar.

A dance will be held in Pilgrim Hall,
Friday evening, May 15, by Andover
Colony U. O. P. Tickets are 25 cents.
Music will be furnished by Thomas' or-
chestra.

The Moon club dance, which was held
Wednesday evening, April 22, in Saun-
ders hall, Lawrence, was attended by
local people. Berry's orchestra fur-
nished the music.

Rev. Fr. Field, former pastor at St.
Augustine's church of this town, offici-
ated there last Sunday and preached to
a large audience, during the temporary
absence of Fr. Driscoll.

The Helping Hand society will con-
tinue their rummage sale next week in
the Abbott Village hall on Wednesday
and Thursday afternoons. Donations
will be thankfully received.

Mrs. A. Dickson, of North Main street,
was very pleasantly surprised last Sat-
urday evening by her daughter and friends,
who presented her with a handsome
couch. Refreshments followed and all
spent a very enjoyable evening.

At the eleventh annual convention of
the Baptist Young People's union of the
Merrimack River Association, held in
Lowell, Monday, Rev. A. T. Belknap, of
the Baptist church, was elected vice-
president for the ensuing year.

Hear the Angelus at the Town Hall,
Tuesday evening.

"A Scrap of Paper", Town Hall, May
1st, at 8 o'clock.

Get your breakfast at the Town hall
Friday morning, May 1.

Miss Mary Lunan spent Thursday with
relatives and friends in town.

George Cheever, Jr., is working for
the Massachusetts cattle inspector.

F. P. Higgins catered at the Cole-
Miller nuptials in Lawrence last even-
ing.

E. C. Pike has just received a load of
adjustable window screens. Call and
see them.

The second class initiation of the An-
dover Council, R. A., will be held this
evening at 8 o'clock.

W. H. Welch & Co. are working on
the Baptist parsonage, and in several
other places in Lawrence.

Norman Smith, son of Joseph W.
Smith, is at home from St. Paul's school,
enjoying a short vacation.

Concert at Town hall next Tuesday
evening, at 8 o'clock. Tickets 25 and
35 cents at Andover Bookstore.

Miss Rena Hemenway went to Candia,
N. H., last Saturday, where she has
been engaged to teach school.

The Misses Bertha and Jennie Clark
of Maple avenue spent Saturday, Sun-
day and Patriots' Day, at Gonic, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Antoine B. Saunders of
Winchester spent Sunday and Monday
with the former's parents on Essex
street.

For the benefit of the McKee Memorial,
see the play by local talent, next
Friday evening, May 1. Tickets on sale
to-morrow at the Andover Bookstore.

Thursday afternoon the fire depart-
ment was called out for a brush fire
upon the Harnden estate in the Holt
district. It was easily brought under
control.

The Foreign Missionary department
of the Ladies' Benevolent society of the
Free church, held a meeting last even-
ing at the home of Miss Alice S. Coutts
on Maple Ave.

Prof. J. Winthrop Plattner of the An-
dover Theological Seminary gave an ad-
dress in the Town hall, Lexington, last
Sunday evening, prior to the Patriots'
day celebration on Monday.

The Andover Mothers' club have ac-
cepted the invitation of the Bradlee
Mothers' club to visit them next Tues-
day afternoon, April 28, and will leave
Andover for Ballardvale on the 2.40
train.

The employees of the Smith & Dove
Co. in the rooms affected by the break-
ing of the huge pulley, last Friday morn-
ing, were very fortunate in being able
to return to work again Tuesday morn-
ing. Temporary repairs were made so
that the machinery could be run until
the arrival of the new pulley.

The class of '04, St. Mary's H. S., was
entertained at the home of Miss Ger-
trude Phillips in Frye Village, Tuesday.
A very pleasant evening was spent.
Supper was served, after which games
were played. A vocal and literary en-
tertainment was rendered by members
of the class. Dancing was indulged in
until time to return. The party re-
turned home on the nine o'clock car,
after having spent a very enjoyable
afternoon and evening. Among those
present were the Misses Mary Cough-
lin, Anna O'Connell, Mary Moloney,
Gertrude Doyle, Mary V. Hart, Kath-
ryn Dorgan, Mary Looney, Mary Mc-
Donough, Gertrude Phillips and Ger-
trude Weltahe.

(From the World, New York)

Beatrice Herford, whose matinee at
the Lyceum Theatre last Monday was
such a success, is as great a favorite in
London as in New York. The Duchess
of Marlborough, who was very en-
thusiastic over Miss Herford's monologues,
said of her New England seamstress: "It
is like one of Miss Wilkinson's charac-
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BALLARDVALE.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rev. Edwin Smith, Pastor. Services for Sunday, April 26.

10.30 a. m. Worship with sermon by the pastor, subject, "The Three Loyal Young Men."

Sunday school to follow.

3.00 p. m. Meeting of Juniors.

7.00 p. m. Union service with address by Rev. C. C. Carpenter, formerly of Labrador, who will speak on that country, Greenland and Alaska.

7.30 p. m. Thursday evening prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev. F. G. Hall, pastor. Services for Sunday, April 26.

10.30 a. m. Worship with sermon by the pastor.

Sunday school to follow.

6.00 p. m. Epworth League Meeting.

7.00 p. m. Praise service with address by the pastor, subject, "Come let us reason together."

7.30 p. m. Friday evening prayer meeting.

Mrs. Mary Carey is ill.

Thomas Colinton of Somerville spent Sunday with Thomas McGovern.

Clark Morrison of Lawrence spent Sunday with relatives in the Vale.

Miss Nina McLeod of Newton was the guest Monday of Mrs. Louis G. Buck.

Mr. and Mrs. James McKeon of Lowell, spent Sunday with relatives in the Village.

Thomas Riley of Westboro, spent Sunday and Monday with relatives in the Vale.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard F. Lowe and son Everett spent Sunday with relatives in the Vale.

Mrs. Chas. W. Clarke spent last Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Howell F. Wilson.

Joseph Shaw of Gilbertville, spent Sunday and Monday with relatives in the Vale.

Miss Mary Johnson and Miss Kate O'Neil spent Monday with friends in Boston.

Arthur H. Ruggles of Boston is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Willis B. Hodgkins.

Miss Nellie A. Hearn of Groveland, has been the guest of her cousin, Miss Katie Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Hodgkins of Somerville spent Monday with relatives in the Vale.

Mr. and Mrs. George Goldwaite of Taunton are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis G. Buck.

Miss Mary Cleary attended the wedding last Tuesday of her brother, Michael Cleary of Lawrence.

Miss Helen Hodgkins and Warren Kendall of Somerville, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willis B. Hodgkins.

Miss Alice Wood of Lowell, has been the guest for several days of her cousin, Miss Rosalie Wood, Dale street.

Miss Mabel Easton and Harry Easton of Cambridge spent Sunday and Monday with friends in the Vale.

Mrs. Wm. H. Greene and daughter Miss Jessie B. F. Greene were the guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Jaquith.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Shaw and daughter, Miss Nettie Shaw, have been the guests for several days of their son, J. Edwin Shaw of Portsmouth, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison P. Womson and daughter, Miss Susan Womson of Gloucester, have been spending several days at their summer home on High street.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell F. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Willis B. Hodgkins attended the wedding of Amherst Frazar and Miss Florence Conant at Somerville, last Tuesday evening.

The Bradlee Mothers' club will hold their next meeting Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the kindergarten room. Mrs. E. Y. Hincks of Andover will address the meeting. A full attendance is requested.



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Deacon Orrell Ashton, Mrs. Edwin Smith, Mrs. J. H. Smith, Miss S. Jennie Stark, Miss Lizzie M. Rowland, were elected delegates to the Andover Conference to be held at the First Congregational church, Lowell, next Tuesday afternoon and evening, Apr. 28.

The Bradlee School nine defeated the Andover Tigers last Saturday on their grounds, the score being 29 to 8. The Bradlee School nine was composed of the following players: I. Brooks, p; W. McIntyre, c; E. Daley, ss; F. Sherry, 1b; R. York, 2b; G. Simpson, 3b; T. Haggerty, rf; C. Clarke, cf; A. Hoffman, lf.

Ten of the local Good Templars attended the annual session of Essex District lodge, which met in G. A. R. hall, Haverhill, last Monday. Mrs. Mary A. Fessenden was elected District Chaplain and James M. Craig District Councilor. All present report an exceptionally interesting session.

Rev. F. G. Hall and wife moved into the Methodist parsonage last Monday. The new pastor was born in Athens, Me. He has taken a course at Cobb Divinity school, Bates college, and will resume his studies at Boston university in the fall. Rev. Mr. Hall has had successful pastorates at Leeds and Livermore, Me., and will undoubtedly continue his successful career in the Vale.

Last Sunday night shortly after 10 o'clock, a fire was discovered in the old school house. Waste had been tucked into one of the blinds and under the door and set on fire. Fortunately it was discovered and extinguished by Thomas O'Donnell. The authorities are thoroughly investigating the matter and hope to punish the guilty parties.

Food Fair.

There was a large attendance at the Food Fair held in Bradlee hall last Saturday afternoon and evening, under the auspices of the young ladies of the Village for the benefit of the local baseball nine. The following entertainment was given in a very creditable manner: Piano duet by Lucy Dinmore and Annabelle Steed, recitation by Nellie Daley, song by Mamie Haggerty, recitation by Ethel Gardner, fan drill by sixteen girls, piano solo by Mollie Donovan, vocal duet by Stella Daley and Clara Miller, recitation by Annabelle Steed, song by Minnie McIntyre, piano solo by Mamie Haggerty, piano solo by Maggie Wheatley.

The fan drill was very fine and deserves special mention. The several tables were very prettily arranged and were in charge of the following named persons: front table, Miss Annie Wood and Miss Alice A. Hefferan; ice cream, Mrs. Millie B. Hammond and Miss Katie Horan; candy table, Miss Adele Matthews and Miss M. Louise Hammond. The guess cake was won by Elmer H. Shattuck who guessed 5 lbs. 4 oz., correct weight 5 lbs. 3 oz. Willie Cronin won the umbrella contest.

The fair closed with a dance in the evening. The grand march was led by Henry Platt and Miss Annie Wood. Thomas' orchestra of Andover furnished the music. The fair netted \$96.51. The large attendance and liberal patronage showed the general interest in the village in our ball team.

Too much credit cannot be given the committee of young ladies who had the affair in charge, namely: Miss Annie Wood, Miss Alice A. Hefferan, Mrs. Millie B. Hammond, Miss Katie Horan, Miss Mamie Matthews and Miss Adele Matthews, whose hard work and skillful management made the fair such a pronounced financial success.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the people of the Village for their generous contributions and liberal patronage at our recent Food fair.

ANNIE WOOD, ALICE A. HEFFERAN, MRS. MILLIE B. HAMMOND, MISS KATIE HORAN, MISS MAMIE MATTHEWS, MISS ADELE MATTHEWS.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to publicly thank the young ladies of the Village for their hard work and the generous amount of money realized from the recent fair.

Signed, BALLARDVALE BASEBALL ASSN.

Now for the chicken salad. The meat has been cut from the bones and freed from skin and gristle. Betty measured it and allowed three-fourths as much celery, cut in to inch lengths. She then began her dressing. This was no modern mayonnaise, but the regular "Old Virginia" dressing used when mayonnaise was as yet little known in this country, says Success.

"Two cups of boiling water, to which you add two tablespoonsful of corn starch, wet up with cold water," said Betty's grandmother's receipt. "Stir over the fire until thick and add a tablespoonful of fat from liquor in which the chickens were boiled. Take from fire, whip in three raw eggs, and when the mixture is nearly cold, put in the yolks of three hard-boiled eggs, rubbed smooth with two tablespoonsful made mustard, one tablespoonful powdered sugar, one tablespoonful salt, pepper and Worcestershire sauce, two tablespoonsful of oil, a few drops at a time, and a cupful of vinegar. Strain through a net, moisten the salad with half of it and beat the rest into the thick part of the dressing, which should be entirely cold. Garnish the salad with the whites of the hard-boiled eggs. This was the complete receipt."

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BASEBALL

Punchard A. A., 9; P. H. S., 8.

The Punchard Alumni defeated the Punchard team, Monday, in a very close game by the score of 9 to 8.

The excitement was highest at the close of the last inning. The game should have gone to the Punchard nine, but they met with very hard luck. With one out and a man on 1st for Punchard, a three-base hit was made. The runner at 1st should have gone home, but through slow running and a stumble at 3rd he was caught between that base and home, turning what ought to have been at least a tie into defeat.

The score:

	ab	r	b	h	po	a	e
Soutar, ss.	4	1	2	2	1	5	2
Hardy, c.	2	2	3	0	12	5	3
Kyley, lf.	5	0	1	0	0	0	0
Wright, 1st.	4	0	1	0	11	0	3
Reed, p.	5	1	2	0	0	1	2
Barton, rf.	5	0	1	0	7	0	0
Hickey, 2d.	3	2	0	0	1	0	0
Clark, 3d.	4	0	2	0	1	2	0
Coutts, cf.	3	2	2	0	0	0	0
	38	9	14	2	27	13	8

PUNCHARD

	ab	r	b	h	po	a	e
A. Abbot, c.	2	0	0	0	4	0	0
A. Collins, c.	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Moynihan, ss.	4	0	0	0	0	4	2
Thompson, lf.	1	3	0	0	2	0	6
Clemmons, lf.	2	0	0	0	0	0	1
Donovan, capt., 2d.	4	1	0	0	1	0	0
R. Cole, rf.	3	0	0	1	0	0	0
Remmes, rf.	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
W. Foster, 3d.	4	0	1	0	4	2	0
Maloney, p.	5	1	0	0	0	5	0
Burns, 1st.	3	0	0	0	5	1	0
Bliss, 1st.	1	0	1	0	7	0	0
J. Abbott, cf.	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
J. Abbott, cf.	1	1	0	1	0	1	0
	31	8	3	2	27	13	8

Innings, 12 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Punchard, 3 0 1 0 2 0 2 0 8

Alumni, 0 0 1 1 3 1 2 0 0

Umpire, Upton and Ritchie.

NEWBURYPORT A. C. T. P. A. 3.

In the opening baseball game of the season at Phillips Andover academy, Saturday afternoon, the academy nine was defeated by the strong Newburyport Athletic association nine, 7 to 3. Andover was not represented by her strongest team, but put up a creditable exhibition. Failure to make timely hits cost Andover the game. Hall was tried in the box for Andover for six innings and until the fifth he held the visitors down to four hits and three runs. In the fifth and sixth Newburyport did some timely hitting and added four more runs. Brown went into the box in the sixth and only one hit was made off his delivery.

Sullivan caught well and batted opportunely. Capt. Huskeigh did rather jagged work at third. Dingo and Cox are a good team at second and short. Anderson substituted for Clough at first. He handled wild throws nicely. The outfield work was poor. Hayes and Thompson both making errors. Kinney at center appears to be a likely player, and Schildmiller, who succeeded Hayes at right made a difficult catch.

The score:

	ab	r	b	h	po	a	e
Shepard, 2d.	4	1	1	2	2	2	3
Parks, 1st.	2	2	0	0	14	0	0
Wilbur, c.	4	2	2	4	5	3	0
Dresser, p.	4	0	0	0	1	9	0
Clarkson, 3d.	4	2	2	4	2	2	0
Colkins, s.	4	0	0	0	1	3	1
Pugmire, 1st.	3	0	1	1	1	0	0
Saul, cf.	3	0	0	0	1	0	1
Burke, lf.	4	0	1	1	0	1	1
Totals	33	7	12	27	20	6	6

PHILLIPS ANDOVER.

	ab	r	b	h	po	a	e
Hudson, 1st.	5	0	1	1	6	0	0
Hudson, 1st.	5	0	1	1	3	1	2
Cox, s.	3	1	1	0	2	0	0
Dillon, 2d.	5	1	3	4	2	0	0
Sullivan, 3d.	5	0	1	1	8	1	0
Kinney, cf.	5	0	0	0	1	1	1
Thompson, lf.	4	0	0	0	1	0	1
Hayes, p.	3	0	1	0	6	0	1
Schildmiller, c.	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Hall, p.	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Brown, p.	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	38	3	8	9	24	8	5

Innings, 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Newburyport, 0 1 2 0 2 0 0 0 8

Andover, 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 3

Two base hits, Shepard, Dresser, Dillon, 3 base hits, Clarkson, Wilbur, base on balls, off Clarkson, off Hall 2; off Brown 1; struck out, by Dresser 3, by Hall 4, by Brown 3; double plays, Clarkson and Parks, Clarkson, Wilbur and Parks, Steuben, Parks, Page, Shepard, Huskeigh, Sullivan, Kinney, hit by pitched ball, Saul, passed ball, Sullivan 2. Umpires, Clarkson and Leary. Time, 1 hr. 45 min.

The Dartmouth team defeated the P. A. men in a very one sided game Thursday, by the score of 12 to 2. The Andover team was lifeless and until the last inning was unable to make a hit or to secure a run. In the ninth a two base hit by Captain Huskeigh, followed by several errors and a hit by Dillon, netted two runs.

The Tigers defeated the Golden Stars in a hard fought five inning game by a score of 9 to 4. Both catchers were

slightly hurt. The batting order follows: Tigers: I. Haggerty, c; Davis, p and cf; R. Haggerty, p and ss; Remmes, 1st; H. Bolland, 3rd and p; Gilman, 3rd and 2d; H. Bolland, 3rd and ss; Hole, lf; J. Haggerty, cf; Tucker, rf; Golden Stars: Treffy, c; Ayers, p; Kyle, ss; Cummings, 1st; R. Hardy, 2nd; Jewett, 3rd; Orcutt, lf; Saunders, cf; Kerr, rf.

The St. Augustine Altar Boys of this town, defeated the Christ Church Choir Boys in a seven inning game last Saturday by a score of 9 to 1 in their favor. The team was composed of the following: J. McIntosh, c and p; W. Alicon, c and p; J. Daly, 1b; B. McDonald, 2b; B. O'Sullivan, 3d base; D. Hart, ss; F. Kennen, cf; R. McIntosh, rf; A. Hastings, lf. Umpires, J. O'Connor and H. Bell.

The Altar Boys put up a good game for their first one without any practice. They belong to the Altar Boys League and are tied for first place with St. Mary's as Haverhill had to forfeit the game because they did not show up Saturday.

There will be a league game at Lawrence April 25, between St. Augustine Altar Boys and the Immaculate Conception Altar Boys.

The chief requisite in the make-up of the girl of the period is "individuality." She must be "just herself" and not ape anyone of her friends or her enemies or her acquaintances.

Of course her popularity will depend upon just how this individuality takes form. But in lieu of the possibilities of the age, it is expected and demanded of her that she make of herself what she will, and incidentally that she will be a gracious, charming woman whatever path the personality may be launched on. A rude manner, coarse speech or over-audaciousness is not to be considered for a moment. The 20th century marks a period when we are supposed to put off the childish things that femininity may have acquired by the way; to have arrived at the age of discretion and common-sense, rules and oughts else is held in the balance.

Notwithstanding all the talk and discussion relative to our rush and tumble existence, there seems to be a very decided tendency toward moderation in all things, as a result of increasing broad-mindedness. Though women now days are taking upon themselves more duties and more pleasures and dipping more promiscuously into a wider range of objects, yet withal they have dropped many a one which our mother and grandmother considered a part of her creed to do. Instead of doing fancy work, samplers or even "Kensington embroidery," she tries a game of golf or takes a 10-mile walk; instead of darning stockings and doing the family mending perhaps she goes to a "Mother's Meeting," or to a "Woman's Club," or to a "Ladies' Aid Society," but she ought even to find time for both. Certainly instead of taking along her "knitting work" every time she runs out to have a chat with a neighbor she does not, and it does her good.

That is "individuality," one sign of it. She has disciplined herself to the use of language, because she goes about so much it is necessary for her to be conversant with books and art, and people and things. That is not enough, she must know how to express the sentiments thus gleaned. The broad-minded girl whom we know now, has created her own atmosphere, an individuality.—Exchange.

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"The ladies asked Mrs. Huskeigh to join their athletic class. She laughed at them as she showed the muscles in her arm. They gasped and went away. 'Where did she get so much muscle?' 'Hanging on a street car strap.' Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Atchison Globe man complains that some girls use a perfume that smells like stewed prunes.

Since the rage for laces is upon us we may as well be posted about their renovation, for it is more than likely that the soft coal effects of the winter will not be entirely cleared from the atmosphere for some time, or its impress may already be found upon some of the rare laces which have done duty this past season.

The dainty specimens, so thin and delicate that they are popularly known as spiderweb fabrics, will require special care in renovating and cleaning. In fact, it is impossible to wash them without injury by any of the usual methods.

The plan of bottle washing is the only safe method of cleansing them in the hands of any one but a professional, and indeed it is claimed that professional lace cleaners frequently resort to this mode.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Essex, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To Shipman Adams, of parts unknown, father of Mervin Adams, of Andover, in said County of Essex, minor.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court by Peter F. J. Carney, of Salem in the County of Essex, praying for the appointment of himself or some other suitable person, as guardian of said minor, and also praying for the custody of the person and care of the education of said minor, he alleging that you are an unfit person to have such custody and care. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Gloucester, in said County, on the twenty-seventh day of April, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why a guardian should not be appointed as aforesaid.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give notice thereof to you by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of

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"A stick of brimstone worn in the
pocket is good for them as has cramps."
"A loadstone put in the place where
the pane is is beautiful for the Rheu-
matism."
"A basin of water gruel, with a half
a quart of old rum in it, with lots of
brown sugar is good for Cold in Head."
"If you have hiccups, pinch one of
your wrists while you count sixty,
and get somebody to scare you and
make you jump."
"The earache—Put onion in ear after
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"The consumption—Eat as many
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To be above gossiping.
To avoid idleness.
To be self-reliant.
To darn stockings.
To respect old age.
To make good bread.
To keep a house tidy.
To be above gossiping.
To make home happy.
To control her temper.
To take care of the sick.
To take care of the baby.
To sweep down cobwebs.
To marry a man for his worth.
To be a helpmate to her husband.
To keep clear of the evil literature.
To be light-hearted and feet-fused.
Pittsburg Gazette.

LAWRENCE

Rev. C. C. Earle will preach in Tremont Temple, Boston, next Sunday.

Miss Georgie Batchelder of Belmont street is spending a few days at her home in Peabody.

Rev. Frank Gibbs, son of Dr. Gibbs, preached at the morning service in the Universalist church Sunday.

Frank L. Thompson of Boston, formerly principal of the Oliver school in this city, was in town Sunday.

J. D. Price of Methuen, boss dyer at the Knitted fabrics company, is able to be out after his recent illness.

Miss Julia A. Dempsey and Miss Roberta A. White will spend the week at Atlantic City and Lakewood, N. J.

Friday, May 29, William Burkhardt, of Exchange street, and Mrs. Burtha Bittrich of Garden street, will be married.

Joseph B. Donovan is now employed in Montreal, Canada, by the Great Northwestern Telegraph company, where they spent Sunday and Monday.

Miss Alice Parsons, who has been spending the winter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Parsons of Bruce street, has returned to her home in Bath, Me.

Dennis E. Callahan, of the High school teaching corps, delivered an interesting and eloquent address before the Perchers' Relief association, Friday night. His subject was "Our National Spirit."

At memorial exercises in South Boston Monday morning, Fr. James T. O'Reilly, chaplain of St. Mary's church, preached the sermon to members of South Boston, Robert Fulton and Pierre Marquette councils of Knights Columbus.

Captain Charles S. Palfrey, chairman of the board of overseers of the poor of New Bedford, visited the local poor farm Monday. He was shown about the place by Superintendent Stanley and Representative Spinlow. The New Bedford man spoke very highly about the management of the institution.

Col. Melvin Beal, Captain Charles C. Jones, Captain Chadbourn, Charles Woodbury and Victor Gingsass are among the local survivors of the Old Sixth Massachusetts Volunteer regiment, that observed its anniversary Monday in Boston. Several of the local members attended the pleasant event.

A mission for women opened at St. Lawrence's church at 7.30 o'clock Sunday evening. The mission will last two weeks, the first week of which is for women and the last for men. The services will be in charge of Father Ryan, assisted by Father Fenech and Mr. Murgah. The last named was at one time stationed at St. Mary's church in this city.

A house warming party was held at the handsome new residence of Police- man Joseph Brooks on Swan street, Saturday evening. Charles Flood, Arthur Flood, and Misses Mamie Dorgan and Julia Fleming entertained with piano selections, and Frank Quinn, Benjamin Sanford and Misses Gertrude Moran of Boston with vocal selections. The occasion was an enjoyable one.

The Merrimack Cricket club opened its season at Burnham Park Monday forenoon. The first eleven played 22 of the rest of the club, scoring 124 runs against their opponents. The feature of the game was the batting of J. Farrow, who scored 30 runs. His work promises to strengthen the team a good deal. A Moss, late of the Bunting C. C. scored 29 runs; J. Taylor, late of the Lawrence C. C., bowled well, as did J. Robshaw. For the rest of the team, J. Ridings batted in good style for 22 runs, and H. Clough and G. Goy were the most successful of the bowlers.

William B. Gale lodge, K. of P., observed the holiday with a whist party and dance, the former held in the lodge room and the latter in Association hall, Odd Fellows block. There were twenty tables occupied in playing whist and at the conclusion it was found that Mrs. E. K. Morrison had won the lady's first prize and Mrs. Frank D. Valpey the second. A. G. Bancroft won the gentleman's first and John G. Grant the second. The consolation prizes were awarded to Mrs. E. H. Humphrey and Robert C. Weisner. There was also a large attendance in the upper hall and those present enjoyed themselves to the utmost. Excellent music was furnished by a local orchestra. Those in charge of the floor were: Grand conductor, W. W. King; assistant conductor, Charles M. Evans; aids, James Forbes, George E. Sumner and George Otis Jr. Refreshments were served and it was midnight when the festivities were brought to a close.

A disordered stomach may cause no end of trouble. When the stomach fails to perform its functions the bowels become deranged, the liver and kidneys congested, causing numerous diseases, the most fatal of which are painless and therefore the more to be dreaded. The important thing is to restore the stomach and liver to a healthy condition, and for this purpose no better preparation can be used than Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by E. M. & W. A. Allen, Andover.

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PATRIOTS' TEA AT CITY HALL.

It is safe to say that after the success of Tuesday, Patriots' tea will become an annual event. Certainly no greater success could be imagined than that which crowned the efforts of the Ladies' Auxiliary in behalf of the Orphan asylum.

City hall had been transformed for the nonce into a grand banquet hall where the long tables were loaded with good things, and at which from 5 o'clock until 10 it is estimated at least 5000 people were fed.

The hall was appropriately decorated, the national colors and portraits of great men in the history of the nation being conspicuous.

Each table was designed by the name of some patriot of distinguished memory and each was in charge of a bevy of pretty girls, who cared zealously for all who came under their care.

Millington's orchestra, located on the stage behind a graceful grouping of ferns and tropical plants, rendered a fine program for edification of those who were enjoying the good things at the tables below.

In the basement dancing was enjoyed by a large number for which Berry's orchestra furnished the inspiration.

Dewey table—Mrs. Thomas Mahoney, Misses Helen G. Kennedy, Katherine A. Hynes, Katherine G. O'Brien, Margaret Donahue. The waitresses were Mesdames Alice Tobin, Katherine Graham, Misses Mary Lahan, Margaret Hynes, Katherine Doran, Bertha Leonard, Katherine and Gertrude Mahoney Cecelia Healey.

Grant table—Mrs. Miles Moran, Mrs. Martin Landers. The waitresses were Mesdames M. McNulty, J. Howard, W. Donovan, M. J. Clark; Misses Angela T. Bannan, Nellie Gilson, Grace Hanrahan, Mary Ryan, Katherine Kenny, Nora Desmond, Mrs. Thomas Howard, Misses Gertrude Hanrahan, Minnie Landers, Katherine Towle, Anna Lane, Katherine Tansy, Nellie McCarthy, Margaret O'Brien, Nora McNulty, Nellie Guilfoyle. For tea and dishes, Mesdames Green, Maher and Kneelan.

Barry table—Mrs. Alice Dolan, Miss Anna O'Sullivan. The waitresses were Mesdames D. McCarthy, Jessie Cullinane, T. McCarthy; Misses Eta O'Sullivan, Mamie Powers, Katherine A. White, Marcelle Fallon, Katherine McKelligatt, Margaret Breen; Mesdames Owen Malley, William Cusack; Misses Rose Landers, Tessie Lane, Lizzie Tansy, Annie E. Danahy, Margaret Whalen, Annie English, Mary A. O'Connor and Louise O'Brien.

Washington table—Mrs. T. McDonald Laura Farnham. The waitresses were Mrs. J. F. Morrissey, Mabel Farnham, Della Lyons, Margie Connor, Minnie Collins, Jennie McManus, Carrie Chard Margaret Mahoney, Mrs. J. T. Remmes, Mrs. D. W. Keane, Mrs. Catherine Collins, Mrs. Joseph Woodhall, Margaret Hogan, Mrs. T. P. Donahue, Mrs. Edward Arundel, Lydia Bateman, Mrs. M. E. Hutton.

Shields table—The Misses Lanigan and Catherine Daley. The waitresses were Grace Desmond, Bessie Ganey, Nellie Gansy, Grace Covey, Mary Casey, Annie Casey, Mary E. Hickey, Mary Dineen, Miss Taylor, Margaret Sheedy, Lulu Collins, Nellie Collins, Agnes Bateman, Miss Haggerty, Mary Daley.

Lincoln table—Mesdames M. J. Curran, Adelaide E. Cumiskey. The waitresses were Mesdames Joseph Roy, Joseph Bailey, O. A. Kenefick, M. J. Bailey, M. Sullivan, Misses Rose A. Devine, Mary Miller Sussanna T. O'Connor, Margaret Desmond, Teresa M. Farrell.

John Boyle O'Reilly table—The Misses Anna T. Mulholland and Grace White. The waitresses were the Misses Mary E. Dolan, Katherine Flanagan, Mary E. Dolan, Agnes Flanagan, Margaret E. White, Agnes English, Evangeline Bastian Louis McEvoy, Mary Cotter, Mary Maloney.

Needham table—The Misses Mollie Curran and Mary Mahoney. The waitresses were Misses Mollie Curran, Helen A. Farrell, Mary L. Ford, Nora Murphy, Mabel Goggin, Margaret Cornelle, Julia Shea.

Jasper table—Mesdames John B. Donovan, D. H. McGilvrey. The waitresses were Mesdames Louise Collins, Katherine E. Fitzgerald, Katherine Guler, Edward Chandler, Agnes Dennison, Lillie Roche, Annie Holland, Misses Mullen, Garry and Junks.

Revere table—Mesdames H. W. Black B. W. Boutwell. The waitresses were Mesdames Gurney, McGuire, Bingham, Misses Louise McGowan, Edith and Elizabeth Carroll, Margaret Loftus, Grace Waters, Elizabeth White, Mencia McCulloch and Miss Scannell.

Lafayette table—Mrs. I. E. Benoit. The waitresses were Mesdames O. K. Lisle, N. M. Mittle, O. Rencher, L. Hellerin, Emilie Mercier, J. Monette; the Misses Agnes Cyr and Vina Potvin and E. Williams.

Rochambeau table—Mrs. W. N. Hamel. The waitresses were Mesdames J. Lapalme, M. Chase, H. Fontaine, G. Goulet, F. Cardinal, D. Daigle, W. Hamel, V. Huot and M. Auger.

The Sheridan table—Miss Mary Wait and Mrs. Patrick Doherty. The waitresses were Mesdames Mrs. George Emery, John Fogarty; Misses Nellie Connelly and Katherine Driscoll, Nellie Costello, Martha Keating, Margaret Goodbody, Abbie Willis, Kate Keenan, Ellen Mahoney, Etta and Mary Stone, Abbie Ward.

Sherman table—Mesdames Owen McCulloch and John Driscoll. The waitresses were Misses Mary Taylor, Katie Dorr, Annie and Lizzie Costello, Nora Curtin, Bessie Murphy, Theresa Connelly, Mary and Martha Lawlor, Agnes and Nellie Finegan and Katherine Regan.

Jefferson table—Mesdames Anna J. Murray, T. Seed. The waitresses were the Misses Hannah Murphy, Mary McDonald, Elizabeth Whatmore, Lillie Murphy, Christine McEvoy, Jennie and Eleanor Qualey, Nellie Dunn, Lydia Mahoney and Bess Sullivan.

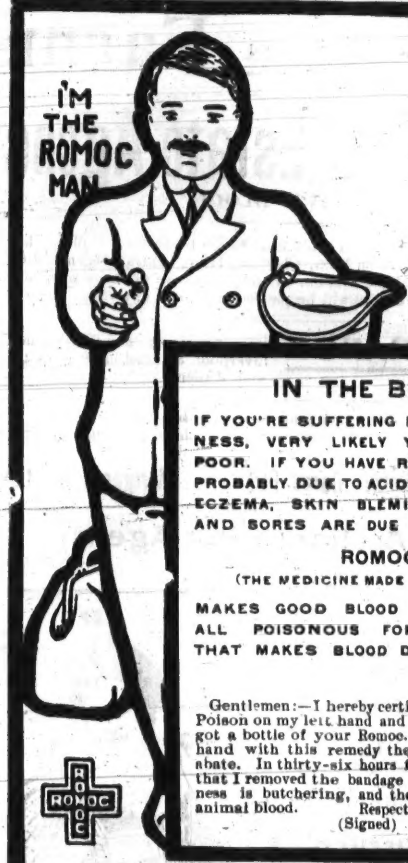
Carroll table—Misses Annie McDermott, Ellen Tobin. The waitresses were Mesdames Trickett, M. Kenyon, Susan Shea, Misses Alicia Quealy, Annie Dunn, Nellie Bingham, Annie Kennedy, Jennie McDermott, Mary Sullivan, Willie McCabe, Minnie Nolan.

Martha Washington table—Miss Mary Kennedy. Betsy Ross table—Miss Annie V. Healey. The waitresses for both the Martha Washington and Betsy Ross tables are Misses Greta Sullivan, Nora Desmond, L. Jean, Margaret Crowley, M. Brandy.

Roosevelt table—Mesdames John Fitzsimmons, Margaret Sullivan. The waitresses were Misses Agnes Joyce, Nellie Welch, Mary Heffernan, Nora Murphy, Lillian and Ada Bode, Loretta Gay, Loretta Bryson.

GOES TO A STRONG CHURCH.

Rev. F. C. Rogers and his friends are gathered by his appointment to the Warren to Main street M. E. church of Nashua. This is one of the two largest and strongest Methodist churches in New Hampshire, having a membership of over five hundred, a fine property, and the largest Protestant congregation in the city. The selection of Rev. Rogers for this church was in accordance with the desire of the Main street society when it became known that their pastor, Rev. Mr. Hitchcock would be made a presiding elder. Mr. Rogers will move with his family to Nashua in a few days.



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The preliminary work of the arrangement of apparatus and the commencement of the work of making these soundings was begun Wednesday by Engineer John Franklin, who has the contract in hand. He has not gone very far as yet, only about five feet below the surface, but he has great hopes of a most satisfactory condition of the land strata for the entire 20 feet to which level it is deemed necessary to sound. He expects to be able to give some definite statement in regard to his investigation soon, and says that the work will extend into the coming week.

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NEW HAMPSHIRE METHODIST CONFERENCE.

At the New Hampshire Methodist Episcopal conference at Woodsville, N. H., yesterday, appointments for the ensuing year were made known.

Rev. William S. Searle, who resigned the pastorate of St. Paul's M. E. church has been appointed to the First church in Derry, N. H. Rev. William Woods, who has been conducting the services at St. Paul's for the past few days, has been made pastor of that church.

Rev. F. C. Rogers, formerly pastor of the Haverhill street M. E. church, will hereafter be stationed at the Main street church, Nashua, N. H. The matter of naming his successor at the Haverhill street church has been left to the members of the church by the conference.

Rev. James G. Cairns has been reappointed to St. Mark's.

Rev. James Cairns, formerly pastor of the Garden street M. E. church has been assigned to the First church of Concord, N. H., and Rev. A. G. Northrup will succeed him at the Garden street church.

Rev. W. T. Boutenhouse is succeeded as pastor of the Methuen M. E. church by Rev. W. F. Leeson. Rev. Mr. Boutenhouse has been assigned to Exeter, N. H.

Rev. A. M. Markey, formerly pastor at the North Andover, M. E. church, has been sent to West Swansey and Marlboro.

Rev. J. M. Durrell, formerly of this city, has been appointed presiding elder Postoffice, Dover, N. H., and Rev. G. M. Curl who at one time was pastor of the Garden street M. E. church of this city, has been appointed presiding elder, Postoffice, Concord, N. H.

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Work for Parents.

Chief Frye takes exception to what was written in this column last week regarding "local vandalism," and in explanation asserts that, almost without exception, the offenders who have been so active during the past few months are known to the police. Further, it turns out that in most of the cases very small boys are the culprits, making the problem as to the wisest course to follow in their punishment, a very difficult one.

Our comment upon the police end of the "reign of petty crime" was wholly along the line of an insistence that nothing should be left undone to fix the responsibility for each and every offense; if this duty is performed, by the police, and if the public is protected in every possible instance from suffering the offense in the first place so far as the full duty of the police has been performed. Chief Frye thinks such is the case in the present difficulties, and we are glad to find it so.

But as we have said before, the great problem is to find the punishment that will be protective to the public, and what is vastly more important, correction of the boy. It is not an easy problem to solve, but there is one suggestion to help in its solution, that is always timely, and particularly so in the present case. It is for parents to keep their children at home nights. It does not seem as if the parents of Andover can realize how many children are found on the streets almost every night.

Gangs of boys, from eight to fifteen years of age, roam through the town, ready for almost any fun they can find. The harmless "fun" gives way very easily to mischief, and the mischief to misdemeanor.

The full remedy for this is no where else but in the homes, and with the parents. The natural exuberance of youth must have an outlet, but when that outlet takes the form of destruction of property and other lawlessness, such as Andover has seen too much of recently, some restraint is imperatively demanded.

We don't believe the parents of Andover realize how their small boys run wild in the streets after dark. The parents do realize that, if unrestrained, it is very easy for the boy's bent to be developed very rapidly, and that too much care cannot be given to directing that bent in its early days.

We sincerely hope that this suggestion of the evil and the dangers to the rising generation of Andover arising from it, may arouse parents to do what is in their power alone, namely—keep the small boys within bounds.

There are many nice things to write about in Andover, but there are never any more attractive subjects than those which have to do with the town's big schools. This week it is Abbot that holds the place of honor, with the first informal announcement that the McKeen Memorial building is a surety, and that work upon its construction will begin very soon. Of course, there is still a little "if," but when so many "ifs" have been swept aside, there need be no fear of the latest one.

The reason for the announcement this week is also interesting because it gives an opportunity for Andover people to enjoy what they are at present very much interested in, more than theatricals. We don't know whether it is the influence of new scenery and stage fittings at the Town hall, or just Spring exuberance, but whatever it may be, there is certainly something directing the thoughts of a great many of the Andover young people toward "playing the parts."

But so long as they do it all so well, there'll be none to find fault, and especially is this true in the present prospect, where not only excellent entertainment is assured, but a grand object is to be aided.

Editorial Cinders.

"Yes, we are going, and we are going to take all the family old enough to enjoy it." Of course it is the "May Breakfast" referred to as the objective point, and next Friday morning is the time. And we are going because it is "worth while." Worth while to get into the company of friends and neighbors and break bread together once in a while; worth while to help the organization which is to use the proceeds in good work; and worth while to be a part of such a general movement of helping one another. May there be a thousand others who will also see that it is "worth while."

From the stories that come from Ballardvale, it would seem as if there is somebody in that community bent upon destroying the old school house, so called. If the suspicions of the authorities are confirmed, it will prove a pretty serious piece of business for the one who strikes the next match.

MAY BREAKFAST COMING

Woman's Relief Corps Planning to Entertain a Large Company Next Friday.

The annual May day breakfast to be held by the Woman's Relief Corps for the purpose of raising funds to be applied to the several charities pertaining to G. A. R. veterans and their families, will be given as usual in the Town hall, May 1st. The W. R. C. organization is well known for its very laudable and wholly practical work in relieving the needs of those who stood by the country in its dark days of desperate struggle to uphold and maintain this great and now wonderfully prosperous Republic.

The sole object of this edible entertainment is for the above purpose, and should easily commend itself to all charitably inclined and patriotic citizens. It may not be generally and fully understood what the object and aims of this organization are, and what it seeks to accomplish; therefore a few words in explanation will not be out of place here. Aside from the sociability enjoyed by the members of the order, a considerable amount of time and work is devoted to the deserved relief of the old soldiers, and to the widows and orphans of soldiers. Committees are assigned to different branches of work to be looked after and done. The sick are visited and comforts supplied. Those in immediate need of the necessities of life, such as clothing, groceries, etc., are at once attended to in a substantial manner. A room in the "Soldiers' Home" at Chelsea is furnished and kept supplied by the ladies of the Andover Relief Corps.

By this organization throughout the country, many G. A. R. posts are not only very materially helped in a financial way, but some are kept alive, so to speak, by the timely and devoted efforts of these patriotic women.

Thus it will be seen that this noble, generous, and altogether unselfish order of Christian women is well worthy of the support and encouragement of all good citizens everywhere.

The breakfast will be in charge of the executive committee—Mrs. Lizzie Morse, chairman; Mrs. Hattie Smith, Mrs. Margaret McTernan, Mrs. Mabel Pike, Mrs. Belle Lindsay, together with the following ladies appointed by the president: Mrs. Hannah Green, Mrs. Dearborn, Mrs. Matthews, Ballardvale; Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Johnson, Miss Thompson, Mrs. White, Mrs. Cox, Miss Lizzie Buchanan, Mrs. McTernan, Mrs. Mears, Mrs. Bean, Mrs. Carruth. In charge of the tables are: Mrs. Morse, Miss Sadie Hobbs, Mrs. Carruth, Mrs. Pike, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Richardson, Miss McTernan, Mrs. McTernan, Mrs. Lindsay, Mrs. Jennie Bean, apron table.

Andover Conference.

The forty-fourth annual meeting of the Andover conference of Congregational churches will be held with the First Congregational church at Lowell, Tuesday, April 28, 1903, afternoon and evening. The following is the program for both sessions:

2.45—Organization.
2.50—Reports of committees.
Statistical secretary.
3.05—Work of the Churches.
Rev. C. O. Day, D. D.
3.20—Fellowship Committee.
Rev. Edwin Smith
3.25—Systematic Giving.
Rev. F. R. Shipman
3.30—Discussion.
3.45—Paper.
Rev. H. E. Barnes, D. D., No. Andover "Leadership in a Congregational Church."
4.05—Discussion.
4.15—Address.
Rev. F. H. Page, Lawrence "An Ancient Story of Modern Times."
4.45—Half hour in spiritual things.
"Man Shall Not Live by Bread Alone."
Rev. Geo. E. Lovejoy, Lawrence
5.15—Business.
5.45—Recess.

The evening session.
7.00—Report of committees.
Treasurer's Report.
Secretary's report.
7.30—"What Does the Church Ask of the Man of the World?"
Rev. Wm. E. Wolcott, Lawrence
7.50—"What Does the Man of the World Ask of the Church?"
Hon. Solon W. Stevens, Lowell
8.10—"What Does the Church Have to Offer?"
Rev. E. V. Bigelow, Lowell
8.30—Adjourn.

The committee of arrangements is Rev. F. A. Wilson, Rev. C. W. Huntington, D. D., Rev. F. H. Page, Albert L. Bacheller and A. W. Burnham.

Angels Player Concert.

The South church Christian Endeavor society will give an Angels concert in the Town hall, Tuesday night, April 28. The Angels is the pioneer piano player, the first of many self players. The U. S. census report describes it as the leader. The vocal soloist will be Miss Laura Van Kuran, soprano. Miss Mary Ellis, a young Boston violinist, will also play. Tickets at 25 and 35 cents may be obtained at the Andover bookstore.

Rondo Brillante, Op. 62, Weber
Violin Solo—Cavatina, Miss Ellis
a. "In My Neighbor's Garden," Nevin
b. Valse in A-flat, Wieniawski
Song—Mattinata, Tosti
Fantasia, "Fingert," Miss Van Kuran, Verdi-Liszt
Violin Solo—Reverie, Op. 22, No. 3, Wieniawski
a. Nocturne in G major, Op. 37, No. 2, Chopin
b. Pasquinade, Gottschalk
Air—"Angel's Serenade," Miss Van Kuran, Braga

Song Recital.

At the November Club house, Monday the following recital was given by Miss Mary Ogilvie and Miss Eva Wessells, with the assistance of Mrs. S. B. Field.
Lang! dal caro bene Secchi
Sebben crudele Caldara
Surwer die Schmeucht kennt Tschalkowski
(One who has yearned alone)
Obheller Tag Tschalkowski
(Whether by day)
Miss Wessells
Apres un Reve Gabriel Faure
D'une Prison Hahn
The little red Lark Old Irish
My true love lies asleep M. R. Lang
Quando me'n vo (La Boheme) Puccini
Ritornelle Chaminade
Diana ask me Whelpley
Hills of the An open secret M. R. Lang
Woodman
Berceuse—Forsyth Miss Wessells
My heart is said Godwin
Sweet wind that blows Scott
A May Morning Chadwick
Miss Ogilvie Tosti

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PUBLIC MEETING.

Andover Guild Held One in Town Hall Last Sunday Evening.

At the meeting of the Andover Guild, Sunday evening, the Town hall was crowded.

The opening remarks were made by Dr. Day. After a short speech he requested the audience to rise and sing the first two verses of "America."

He then introduced the first speaker, Rev. A. T. Belknap, who gave a history of the Guild and its work. Mr. Belknap went on to say that the Guild never gave direct money assistance, but that it was a relief in emergency. One hundred dollars had been brought in during the last year from rummage sales alone, and Andover people were requested to send in old and unused articles for the sale, soon to take place. He spoke briefly of the Boys' and Girls' classes and the Summer school.

Miss Mary Alice Abbot, the next speaker, dwelt especially upon the work of the Guild in connection with girls. In the last two years they have had an average of fifty girls a year. In closing, Miss Abbot said that it was hoped that the hearty cooperation which has always been accorded, will continue in the future.

The third speaker was Pres. Slocum of Colorado college, who spoke upon the work being done in other parts of the country. He said that aims giving was not true charity, but what was needed was the building up of character. As an illustration he told of a church that had been supporting thirty-seven families, who, when the cases were investigated, were all hangers. The only way to reach these people properly was to reconstruct their homes. The most difficult places to reach people are the slums of the large cities. By making them self-respecting, there is less chance of crime and more of getting them on their feet. He said further, that judging by the reports he had listened to, the Andover Guild had struck the proper method.

In England the same manner of work is used as in America. What these people need is not so much opportunity of work, but the power to work; and it is our duty to create this power.

He then went on to point out the sacredness of the work. In contrast he mentioned the prince or king of olden time scattering his gold among the people.

In conclusion he stated that the noblest deed of charity he knew of was when the Savior extended the helping hand to the poor lame man out side of the gate and said "Arise and walk."

Mr. Ripley then gave a short statement of the financial condition and emphasized the fact that members, not money, was needed. If new members did not join, either the work would become mechanical or would cease altogether; both undesirable results. Therefore the work should be generally and honestly entered into.

Andover Girls' Club Sale.

The squall of rain and snow which occurred at the hour of opening the sale Saturday afternoon, made people feel almost too shivery for ice cream and lemonade, still there were many who either for the sake of the cause, or for their own sake, heroically did their share toward increasing the profits.

The music box was much enjoyed in the afternoon, especially by the little folks who hung around it enraptured, and who if they left it for a few moments, returned to gaze and listen. The Jack Horner Plums were of a new variety which bit instead of being bitten, and the fish pole was almost worn out for it never failed to bring up a trophy. We know of at least one little boy who was so delighted with what he caught, that he took it to bed with him.

The pleasure of the evening was greatly enhanced by the playing of the orchestra, composed of Miss Smart, the Misses Cox, Dr. Hulme, E. R. Foster and Roy Lindsay.

Owing to the large sale of candy in the afternoon, the two long tables had to be reduced to one in the evening.

The Club wishes to express its thanks to Mrs. Alden whose music box furnished so much pleasure for the afternoon, and to the orchestra which added so much to the evening's enjoyment, and to the many friends who contributed so generously to the success of the sale.

Bold Hen Thieves.

Hen thieves made a visit to Abbott Village last Tuesday night or early Wednesday morning when Alexander Brown lost a dozen of his best fowl. It was one of the boldest robberies in poultry as "sly reynard" stopped long enough to kill and pluck the hens before leaving. The feathers were left under a tree within 50 feet of the house. The night watchman at the station said he saw a covered carriage drive into the yard between two and three on Wednesday morning and come out again in a few minutes. Mr. Brown feels his loss very keenly as there was some choice poultry in the slaughter.

Piano Recital.

At the November club house, next Tuesday afternoon, at 4 o'clock a recital will be given by Prof. Carl Baermann, the noted pianist. The following is the program:
Beethoven. Sonata, C major, op. 5.
Allegro con brio, op. 10, No. 3.
Beethoven. Thirty-two variations, C minor.

C. Baermann. Three Studies from op. 10, No. XII, XI and VII.
Chopin. Nocturne, op. 27, No. 3.
Chopin. Fourth Scherzo, E major, op. 9.

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Former Andover Man Killed.

Richard Brown, a brakeman on the Boston & Maine railroad, was run over by a freight train near the old bridge in Carletonville, Lawrence, Saturday night, and died a short time later at the general hospital.

Brown was coupling cars on shifting engine 566 when the accident happened. It was at 11:20 o'clock when the engine was started by a loud scream. He immediately stopped the engine. An investigation found Brown lying under the third car of the train. A pair of trucks had passed over both his legs and mangled them frightfully.

He was removed to the General hospital where he died at 12:40 o'clock.

The train was in charge of Engineer Fred Miner and Conductor W. S. Arnold.

Brown was about 26 years of age. He resided in the Pacific corporation block on Canal street. He was a brother of Lem Brown, who is well known here where he resides. Deceased was employed as brakeman on the Boston & Maine for the past five months. He formerly worked for "Prof." Stewart.

Annual Meeting of Andover Press

The annual meeting of the Andover Press was held Tuesday evening, and officers were elected as follows: Pres., H. H. Tyer; clerk, Jos. A. Smart; treasurer, John N. Cole; directors, H. H. Tyer, Jos. A. Smart, Geo. F. Smith, John W. Bell, S. D. Stevens, E. Kendall Jenkins and John N. Cole.

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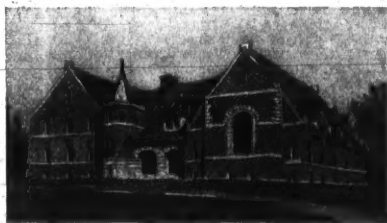
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McKEEN MEMORIAL

Dramatic Performance, "A Scrap of Paper," to be
Given in Town Hall May 1st.

As the beginning of the McKean Memorial Building for Abbot Academy seems close at hand, it will arouse great interest in all our townspeople who care for the prosperity of our school. The old house which has stood for so many years on the corner of School and Abbot streets will be taken down, and the new building, a picture of which heads this article, will be placed farther from the street, facing Abbot Hall. It will contain a hall in which the school may find ample room and ventilation for its guests at entertainments, with a fine stage, and an organ in a separate gallery. This hall will be used during the school year for a gymnasium, with space and height for basket ball, etc., and the needed apparatus, which can be removed when the hall is needed for seats. The other part of the building will contain five recitation rooms, well lighted and ventilated in the best manner with all modern arrangements. Below, there are dressing rooms for the stage, baths for the gymnasium, a place for a swimming bath and bowling alley, and most needed of all, a bright, pleasant room for the day scholars' study. When this building is completed, Abbot Hall will be made over for a scientific department, keeping the hall upstairs unchanged, except to make a good entrance staircase. The sum needed has been raised mainly by the old scholars and friends of the school among themselves, mostly in small sums, but has had some larger additions. This represents the confidence of the former pupils and of the friends of the school in its condition and future as well as their desire to testify their gratitude and affection to Miss McKean and Miss Phebe. We all know, however, that a

good building is quite sure to need more money than is supposed at the beginning, and therefore a benefit entertainment for the fund has been planned by some members of the faculties of Abbot and Phillips Academy and other friends. This will be given in the Town Hall on the evening of May 1st, at 8 o'clock. The play will be "A Scrap of Paper" or "The Adventures of a Love Letter." Music will be furnished by Thomas' orchestra. Tickets 50 and 75 cents, on sale at the Andover Bookstore tomorrow. The cast is given below, and the kindly interest of Andover people is requested.



CAST OF CHARACTERS.

Prosper Courant (Friend of Brismouchet), Mr. Bullinger.
Baron de la Glacière, Mr. Phillips.
Brismouchet (Landed Proprietor and Naturalist), Mr. Gilbert.
Anatole (his Ward), Miss Bosher.
Baptiste (Servant of Prosper), Mrs. McFayden.
François (Servant of Prosper), Mrs. Phillips.
Louise de la Glacière, Miss Gilbert.
M'dlle Suzanne de Russeville (her Cousin), Miss Bosher.
Mathilde (sister to Louise), Miss Slocum.
M'dlle Zenobie (sister to Brismouchet), Miss Tryon.
Madame Dupont (Housekeeper), Miss Hinks.
Pauline (Maid), Miss Knowles.
Committee on stage—Mrs. McCurdy, Miss Smart, Miss Stork.
Committee on programme—Miss Baldwin, Miss Mary Smith.

Wedding.

COLE-MILLER.

A very pretty wedding took place yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, 189 Essex street, Lawrence, the contracting parties being their daughter, Lottie Ethel, and Frank Lewis Cole, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Cole of this town.

The wedding ceremony occurred in the spacious front parlor, the room being banked with ferns, Easter lilies and palms. The bride was gowned in white silk muslin, trimmed with pearls and lace. She carried a bouquet of white bride roses. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Harry Anderson as matron of honor, who carried red roses. Harry Anderson was best man.

The service used was the simple ring service, Rev. Jas. Cairns performing the ceremony, making them man and wife. The bride was given away by her father. Only the immediate families of the contracting parties were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole received the congratulations and best wishes of those present. In the evening from seven till nine a wedding reception was held and relatives and friends to the number of one hundred and twenty-five wished the young couple all happiness in their matrimonial life. They were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Cole. The ushers were Joseph B. Matthews, J. William Bean and Harry Anderson. The groom's gifts to the ushers were gold scarf pins set with pearls.

Miss Maud M. Cole, cousin of the groom, played several selections on the piano during the reception.

Guests were present from Lawrence, the Andovers, Methuen, Worcester, Salem, Southbridge and Harrisville, N. H.

The bride and groom's popularity was well attested by the great array of wedding gifts, which included besides several checks, beautiful silver ware, china, cut glass, table linen, potted plants and furniture. Mr. and Mrs. Cole left Lawrence on the 9:30 train for Boston, amid the usual shower of rice and old shoes. They will take a wedding trip through Maine and on their return will be at home after June 1st, at 25 Essex street, Andover.

Dramatic Entertainment at Abbot.

The dramatic entertainment given by the Senior class of Abbot academy, Tuesday evening, April 21, was a great success. "The play," Benedix's "Hochzeit," was translated by Miss Schieffeler, was given by the following cast, with this exception—Miss Bosher took the part of the Professor, as Miss Hege-mann was detained at home by illness.

Cast of characters:
Prof. Lambert, Miss Hegeman.
Pauline, his wife, Miss Mason.
Edmund, his secretary, Miss Gilbert.
Thomas, his servant, Miss David.
Martha, a chambermaid, Miss Burroughs.

Synopsis of the play:
Otto Lambert, professor in a university, engrossed in the study of Latin and Greek, has kept bachelor hall with the aid of Edmund and Thomas. He has little knowledge of society in general, or of women in particular, but he has just married his cousin, Pauline, in order to fulfill the conditions of their uncle's will. Pauline, for her part, has long loved the awkward, bashful professor. He brings his wife directly home, with no thought of the revolution in his bachelor ways which this step involves. Pauline's first task is to show him that there are other things in the world besides books.

All the parts were exceedingly well acted. Miss Bosher, as the scholarly and absent minded Professor, was seen in a new light, and Miss Mason, as the young wife, was charming enough to make a confirmed bookworm throw down his books and plan to take "A wedding trip."

The Cricket on the Hearth.

Nothing can be added to the splendid approval given to the original performance of this play, save to say that it was earned again last Friday night. If the presence of gentlemen in the audience had any influence upon the ladies who took all of the parts, it was to make an even closer sympathy between actors and audience.

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FLAX.

Number Two.

Sir: In my last letter about flax, the large quantity of flax grown every year in this country only for seed and not for fibre was stated to be over one and a half million acres. I also mentioned that 90 per cent of the flax fibre spun into yarn was imported.

Not very long ago the merits of the Dingley tariff and the demerits of the Wilson tariff filled column after column of our newspapers. The *New York Tribune* and our cultured *Boston Advertiser* had lengthy articles about flax, flax culture and the manufacture of linen. These articles all told us that to make the spinning and weaving of linen a success in this country we required to grow the flax. What would any sane man think if he saw a leader in the *London Times* telling the British public that they must grow cotton in Britain if they were to be a successful cotton spinning nation?

Let us glance at the countries that produce flax fibre. Russia is the greatest producer. I do not need to tell intelligent Americans that labor is cheap in highly protected Russia. France and Belgium have labor for one half what it costs in America. The good soil, suitable climate and extreme care of the farmers over their flax crop gives them a fibre which commands a high price. Holland is also a flax country. Mr. Carpenter, in his interesting letters in the *Boston Globe* will confirm what I state as to price of labor. Ireland grows good flax, but as the country improves and labor is better paid the acreage under flax is less than it was ten years ago. Canada, with its old French colony, grows flax for fibre. We are near enough to know that no laboring man leaves the States to go to Canada so as to get better pay. Enough has been said to confirm what I promised to prove which was that flax growing countries had cheap labor.

When I crossed the ocean 25 years ago, one of the passengers was an old Irishman who had been visiting his friends in County Cork. He was the brightest man on board, singing Gaelic songs and giving us cures for sea sickness. I often think on what he said about America. The conversation was about how Ireland was oppressed by England.

"Well," said a young man, "we are on the way to a country where one man is as good as another."

"Yes, that's true my boy, but you will find that one man is as good as another and much better, and if you don't let them know that you are much better you will have a poor show."

In these letters on flax I will take the old Irishman's advice and let you know that I know more about flax fibre than the *New York Tribune*.

Next week a short account of how flax fibre is brought into shape for the hacklers at the spinning mill.

IAN MACDOUGALL.

Prospect Hill Farm Improved.

W. H. Higgins has lately built an addition to one of the barns on his Prospect Hill farm.

Accommodations have been made for eighteen or twenty horses. He has thoroughly renovated the house by new plastering, painting and papering. The farm will be completed in about ten days. The work is being done by Hardy & Cole. Mr. Higgins proposes to make this farm one of the most attractive places in Essex county. He has also purchased a pair of white horses from Pierce of Lawrence, for work on the farm.

Robinson Prize Debate.

The annual debate between the Philomathean and Forum societies of Phillips Academy, for the H. S. Robinson prize, will be held Tuesday night, April 28, in the Chapel church at 7:45 o'clock. Philo will be represented by Hemingway, Crawford and Eaton. Forum's speakers will be O'Connor, Bates, and C. P. Otis. The subject for debate is, *Resolved: That convict labor should not be let out by contract.* Forum has the affirmative side of the question, while Philo will uphold the negative. The public is cordially invited.

Andover Guild Clothing Sale.

The sale of second-hand clothing at the Guild House, such as has been held for the past two years and has been such a benefit to purchasers, will be open on Saturday afternoon and evening May 16th, from 3 till 9 o'clock. Clothing suitable for such a sale is most earnestly solicited. Large parcels called for if address is sent to Superintendent Mrs. Andrews, 71 Main street.

Fewer gaiters—wears longer; Devoe.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL

Bunting, 1; Ward Five, 0.

GRANT CUP FINAL.

The final contest for the Grant cup was played on the Lawrence cricket grounds, last Saturday afternoon, between the U. S. Bunting team of Lowell and Ward five of Lawrence. Andover had previously beaten the Lowell team, 2-1, in the semi-final, but on the former's withdrawal from the league contests a new series was inaugurated. Ward five team confidently expected to win the cup as a result of Andover's withdrawal.

The contest was not a very scientific one, forcible play being the order. When time was called at the end of the second half neither side had scored. It was then decided to play an overtime period of two 15-minute halves. After five minutes' play Buntings scored. No scoring was done for the rest of the game, and when time was called the score stood 1 to 0 for the Buntings.

After the game the cup was presented to the winners by Vice-president Joseph Smith of the Merrimack Valley Association football league. The team winning the cup three successive times may retain it.

Lowell's victory was heartily welcomed by the Andover club, as Ward five was responsible for Andover's resignation from the contest.

Quincy, 3; Andover, 1.

The Andover football team journeyed to Quincy, Monday, and met the association eleven of that city. Andover did not have her full eleven in the field, and, in consequence, was unable to play her usual game. The contest, however, seemed to show that Andover has nothing to fear if she joins the Massachusetts Central league next season. Smythe, A. Haddon, D. Falconer, and R. Lowe were the absentees. Quincy won, 3 goals to 1.

Andover's team was as follows: O'Connell, D. Rennie, W. Matthew, J. Cairnie, J. Steven, J. Rennie, G. Rennie, R. Cairnie, W. Rennie, J. Munro, W. Black.

With the U. S. S. Cincinnati.

Leghorn, Italy, March 31, 1903.

Editor, Andover Townsman:

Dear Sir:—Being a citizen of Andover, and as I receive the Andover Townsman every week, I beg leave to say a few words through the columns of your very valuable paper to my old friends in Andover. I am serving on board the U. S. S. Cincinnati and have been on her one year. I was on her at St. Pierre during the volcano there, thence going to Lagayara and Colon, taking part in the manoeuvres at Culebra. January 11th, we left St. Thomas, D. W. I., with the Chicago (flag ship) for the European station.

Our first stop was Teneriffe, Canary Islands. After coaling ship, we sailed for Algiers, passing through the Straits and by the rock of Gibraltar. Algiers is in Algeria, Africa, and is a French port. After lying at Algiers for about four weeks, we then sailed for Messina, in the island of Sicily, lying there eight days. From there we sailed for Naples, Italy, and stopped at Naples about a month, and then sailed for this port. We leave here in a few days for Genoa and from there we will go to Villefrance where we are to meet the Buffalo on April 15th. The Buffalo will take the training crew of the Cincinnati.

The Cincinnati is ordered to go China the first of May. The fleet this station now consists of the Chic (flag ship), the Cincinnati, and the chias. While at Naples I visited ruins of Pompeii, the city that was destroyed by the eruption of Mt. Vesuvius in the year A. D. 79. They are busy digging and clearing away. It will enclose a couple of pictures showing how the town looks and how they are working. The eruption is still on, and was very bad while we were there.

S. A. AS

Girls' Friendly Easter Sa

On Wednesday next, April 15th, the annual sale of useful fancy articles, together with hop, confectionery, will open at the rooms at Christ church, at 3 o'clock. Admission free.

In the evening an entertainment will be given, the sale will continue, refreshments of ice cream and cake served. Doors open at 7:30. Entertainment to begin at 8 o'clock. Admission 15 cents.

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CRICKET

1st Eleven 39, Reserves 32.

The members of the Andover Cricket club opened the season Monday in a game between the first eleven and the reserves. The day was a glorious one for cricket and there was a fair turnout both of players and spectators. The reserves had the assistance in bowling of Capt. Bruce and Soutar and this made the game more even. The first eleven batted first but very little hitting was done except by D. Coutts and H. Hilton who had 8 and 12 respectively. Boyle made a very fine catch off Gordon's hit. The inning closed for 39 runs.

The reserve team batted against the bowling of McGlynn & Callaghan, a new man. Very little scoring was done off either bowler and the total only reached 32 runs, J. Haddon being not out with five.

The game was a good try-out for the season and the prospects are for a fairly good eleven.

ANDOVER

H. Kidd b Bruce	4
J. Gordon c Boyle b Soutar	0
W. S. Rhodes b Soutar	0
A. Ritchie b Bruce	7
Callaghan c Fairlie b Soutar	1
D. L. Coutts c Fraser b Soutar	8
T. Ross b Bruce	0
J. McGlynn b Bruce	3
J. Barrett b Bruce	2
A. Anderson b Soutar	0
H. Hilton not out	12
Extras	2
Total	39

RESERVES

D. F. Bruce b McGlynn	0
L. A. Dane b McGlynn	5
D. Falconer b McGlynn	0
J. Ramsay b McGlynn	1
P. Boyle b McGlynn	0
G. Falconer b Callaghan	2
S. Fraser b Callaghan	3
H. Harris b Gordon	2
J. Soutar run out	6
W. Fairlie b Gordon	5
J. Haddon, not out	5
W. Coutts b McGlynn	1
Extras	7
Total	32

Rummage Sale Again.

The Helping Hand society of the Free church will continue their rummage sale in Abbott Village hall, next Wednesday and Thursday afternoons, April 29 and 30. All persons who have anything to give towards this sale will please send to the Village hall next week. At the sale in the church vestry a week ago many bargains were obtained, and there will be many chances next week. Remember, Wednesday and Thursday.

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PROBLEMS IN MORAL EDUCATION

The Masters' club held its monthly meeting at the Hotel Brunswick Tuesday night.

A committee consisting of Principals Horne and Lamprey, and Laurence O'Leary, was appointed to make arrangements for an outing of the club.

Superintendent Burke read an interesting and scholarly paper on "Problems in Moral Education."

He said in part: "The training of the intellect and it would be an act of supererogation to extol either the majesty of the intellect, or the dignity of him who trains it. But intellectuality in itself is insufficient. It must become crowned and dominated by higher spiritual forces. Far better it is to possess morality without intellectuality, than to be learned and practice evil. The illiterate man may be good and wholesome, though sadly deficient in power. The immoral man may be powerful, but he is correspondingly ignoble and dangerous. If a people be educated without any regard to moral instruction it is only putting instruments into their hands which they have every motive to misuse."

"When the child leaves his home and becomes a member of a public school, he takes a lengthy stride along life's pathway. He becomes the centre of a complexity of relations. And the purpose of the school is the enlarging, the intensifying and the ennobling of these varied relationships."

"The training of the child's will is secured through punctuality, obedience and self-control. He becomes conscious of his power to accept or refuse, to obey or disobey. He becomes conscious of his power to originate actions. He thus becomes responsible for his acts."

"In his relation with his fellow pupils he cultivates respect for others' rights and privileges. The young must be taught, and the old must learn, that the true worth of a man is not necessarily attached to the consonants of his name, or to his enforced isolation from the land of his nativity."

"It is not permitted us to teach the second commandment, 'Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain.' That might arouse theological distinctions. And yet, every child of school age, has at least a crude idea of what 'God' signifies, and what the character of Christ represents. In the community of the schoolroom might not an esprit de corps be created, so strong in its moral influence, that upon the street and the playground the revered names of God and Christ should never be used irreverently or blasphemously? Profanity is largely habitual. I realize that children have acquired this repulsive habit—discredit to their elders—in partial or absolute ignorance of its repulsiveness and immorality. But it is the most noticeable form of immorality among our boys, and for its overt and eradication, we summon the most effective agencies of the school and enlist in co-operation the efforts of all good citizens. Likewise we must prosecute relentless warfare against the loathsomeness of vulgarity and obscenity, against anything that encourages or promotes impurity in thought or word or deed."

"Again in the democracy of the schoolroom may be taught lessons regarding property. First, that the rights to property which pertain to the individual; second, that there is a wealth of common privileges which appertain unto all alike; third, that for the conservation of these rights and privileges—government are instituted among men; fourth, that it is the duty of all possessing wealth or power or talent, so to use these possessions that their fellowmen may be benefited, strengthened, uplifted and ennobled. Such a doctrine is neither communistic nor socialistic, but it is founded upon a dispassionate interpretation of the nature of the man and the experiences of the race. And in this connection it is never amiss to demonstrate that, however attractive may be wealth and power and social distinction, there are 'things of the mind' that are infinitely more lofty and desirable—among these are, one's own individual honor, conscientious devotion to principle, love of virtue and of purity."

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COURT CALENDAR FOR APRIL SITTINGS.

The printed calendar for the April sittings of both the jury and jury waived sessions of the superior court at Salem beginning Tuesday has been issued and comprises 128 printed pages. There are 688 cases for the juries, 181 for the jury waived session and 152 divorce libels. The cases against the Boston and Northern street railway company number 115, and against the Boston and Maine, 21; Lawrence and Reading street railway company, 1; Exeter, Hampton and Amesbury street railway company, 2; Lawrence and Methuen street railway company, 1; Hudson, Pelham and Salem street railway company, 2; Waverhill and Lawrence street railway company, 1.

The town of Andover, 1; the town of North Andover, 1; the town of Methuen, 1; Essex county, 2; City of Lawrence, 1.

There are 13 local divorce cases. The libel suits of Ransom F. McCrillis against the Boston Post Publishing company and the Boston Herald company are on the list, as well as the case of McCrillis vs. Gill.

All the suits against Loring N. Farnum of North Andover and the Boston and Northern street railway, which evolved from the explosion in the winter of 1901, down on the New Middleton and Danvers road, are also listed, as well as that of Mrs. Mary Nagle, whose husband was killed in the Glen Forest collision.

Judge DeCourcy of this city presided over the jury waived session of the court and Judge Harris over the jury session.

The April sitting of the supreme judicial court opened at Salem Tuesday morning, Justice Morton of Fall River presiding. There will be three cases to be tried before this court unless some change is made in the present arrangement. Two of these the Motherwill and Thomas Gavin-will contests, are local. The former was settled Tuesday.

"What is curiosity, papa?" asked the Philosopher's small boy.

"It is the feeling we have," replied the Philosopher, "when we try to find out why other people want to know why the rest of the world has its shades drawn down."

Then he proceeded to take a longer draw at his pipe—Cincinnati Tribune.

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TO THOSE WHO HAD NO CHOICE

At Trinity church, Sunday night, Rev. F. H. Page delivered an address "To the 774 Persons and Families who said 'No Preference' at the Church Census."

Rev. Mr. Page said in part: "When 500 canvassers went out on the day of the church census to learn where the people of our city went to church, there were found 774 persons and families who said 'No Preference' at the church census."

There were also 171 who refused information, and it is probable that a large part of those had no church preference but did not care to say so. Again there were 295 reported as 'not at home' and there is reason to think that some of these were 'not at home' because they did not care to state the fact that they had no church preference. While it is impossible, therefore, to tell how many there are in our city who have no church life, the fact is that there are many such. It is altogether probable, too, that on Easter Sunday a good many of these people attended church."

Now what shall we say to such people and what is the significance of such conditions? First of all, we will say in a spirit of sincere welcome that if they have no preference for the church or any of them, the churches, any or all of them, have a preference for them. It is not because the churches do not care that people do not go. The churches do care and are all the time trying to make connection with those who are outside their doors. They do this through the pastoral and other calls and through the wide publications of their invitations to the services in the newspapers."

In the second place what does this fact signify as touching the social and religious life of Lawrence? It signifies first of all that there are many amongst us who care nothing for denominational interests and likely enough know nothing about them. We wish we could open the eyes and ears and spirit of our churches. Except for these same churches and their influence this land would not have been the land of opportunity and religious toleration which attracted them hither."

But this condition of 'no preference' means that many native as well as foreign born people have ceased to be interested in any of the churches because they have other uses for Sunday than that of church attendance, except upon the occasion of Christmas Sunday. And this is the chief significance of this census return. It reflects the new and modern condition of life wherein people use Sunday so regularly for business or social or recreative purposes that they have time only ceased to have any church to call their own, but have no particular desire for any. Of the problem in general we cannot say that Lawrence is worse off than any other city."

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GOLF SEASON AT COUNTRY CLUB.

At the Merrimack Valley Country club Monday the golfing season was opened with a handicap medal play, stroke competition. There was a large field of entries and the play was followed by a large gallery of spectators.

The winners were L. D. Norton and Norman Lyon. The former made the best gross and tied with the latter for the best net score.

Summary follows:		
	Gross	H'c'p Net
L. D. Norton.....	32	6 37
Norman Lyon.....	31	14 17
C. H. Doss.....	105	16 89
E. H. Norton.....	98	6 92
Matt Stuart.....	191	8 93
J. R. Pringle.....	105	12 93
Paul Clay.....	103	8 95
H. R. Dow.....	103	8 95
John C. Stanborn, Jr.....	115	12 103
J. C. Brown.....	110	10 100
E. S. Gould.....	128	28 100
W. D. Twiss.....	109	8 101
W. D. Livermore.....	123	20 103
Michael Wishart.....	119	16 103
Col. J. P. Sweeney.....	131	18 113
S. H. Butters, Thomas Sullivan, R. H. Hale.		

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ATHLETIC EXHIBITION AT HIBERNIAN HALL.

The Economical Social and Athletic club held an excellent athletic exhibition at Hibernian hall last night. Three boxing bouts were pulled off, the feature of which was a 12-round mill between Andy Watson and Sam Langford, both of Boston. The rest of the bill consisted of a two round bout between Fitzgerald of Newton and Young Sidney of Boston, and one of six rounds between Fred Maguire of Lowell and Al. Delmont of Medford. Jimmy Devine of Boston was to meet Brooks of this city, but the former did not put in an appearance.

There was a large attendance of members. Billy Keefe, the well known local boxer, was referee.

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ENTERTAINED AT FERNROFT.

The Knights of Our Lady of Good Counsel connected with St. Mary's church made up a large party that took a trip Monday to St. John's Normal, Ferncroft. The start was made from the residence of the Xaverian brothers on White street—several of whom chaperoned the party.

The party arrived at Ferncroft about 10 o'clock. A game of baseball between two picked teams was begun, which resulted in a victory for the team captained by Timothy Minahan, by a score of 8 to 7. After the game a banquet was held, Joseph J. Coughlin being toastmaster.

After the banquet minor sports were held, these being the winners: Cross country run, John J. Donovan; shot put, Arthur McAvoy; pole vault, Michael Sullivan; 40 yard dash, Francis Mahoney; hop, step and jump, Henry Sweet; running broad jump, Frank McKenna; three-legged race, Frank Dwyer and Cornelius Coughlin.

During the afternoon the Junior team of the sodality played a game of baseball with the college team and were defeated by the score of 15 to 10. After the sports a light lunch was partaken of and the party again boarded the barge, arriving home at about 9 p. m. On the homeward trip national songs were sung. The boys appreciate the kindness of Morarty, for kind donations and also Philip Holland, for the punctual service rendered them.

COMPANY L BAZAR CLOSES.

The annual bazar by Company L 8th regiment was continued at the state armory Monday afternoon and evening. In the afternoon a gaudy dance was conducted in connection with the fair. The armory was crowded both afternoon and evening. The fair was brought to a successful close in the evening.

The dancing in the afternoon was in charge of the following officials of the company: Captain Eugene Larivee, Lieutenants James E. Connors and George A. Armitage, Sergeants William J. Daly and John Haggerty, Corporals Michael Hanagan, James Purcell, Louis Land, Herman Kress and Privates William Haywood Burton O'Leary and William Hutton.

GOOD SWIMMER DROWNED.

A former Lawrence man, George W. Welch, was drowned in Embree pond, near Madison, Me., while fishing, Sunday. He and a companion were in a boat about a half mile from shore when the vessel capized.

Both clung to the boat for several minutes and then Mr. Welch, who had been a professional swimmer and held a gold medal for a feat in that line, started to swim to the shore. Reaching a point nearly half way he turned and began to swim back. He had taken but a few strokes before he shouted to Mr. Hilton for help, threw up his hands and sank, not to rise again.

Deceased leaves a widow and one child. His mother resides at 43 South Broadway.

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MATRIMONIAL.

FORSTER-CHAPMAN.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. William Chapman, 41 Washington street, was the scene of a very pretty wedding Monday evening when their daughter, Grace L. was united in marriage to Dr. R. Wm. Forster, a popular local physician.

At half past six the bridal party entered the parlor to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding march played by Mr. Marsh. Standing in the bay window, amidst a profusion of palms and potted plants, the nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Mr. Wood of the St. John's church. Edmund P. Choate acted as best man and Miss Isabelle Chapman, sister of the bride, as bridesmaid.

The bride looked most charming in a gown of white muslin, tastefully trimmed with white lace. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. The bridesmaid wore pink muslin and carried pink bridesmaid's roses. Only immediate relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony. At the reception which followed the bride and groom received the congratulations of a wealth of friends, and were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Chapman, parents of the bride and Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Forster, parents of the groom. Refreshments were served by Caterer Lane. The decorations were by Thornton Buss.

The young couple were the recipients of a profusion of beautiful and useful presents. One of the gifts of groom to the bride was a magnificent Krakauer piano. Mrs. Forster is well known as the organist at the Christian Science church. The ushers were Dr. Cutter, E. Merton Eldredge, Edmund B. Chute and Norman L. Forster, brother of the groom. The happy couple left on the nine-thirty, for a short trip amidst a shower of rice and good wishes.

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FROM A LITERARY POINT OF VIEW.

"Waldemar," said the young wife, meeting him at the door, "you are two hours later than usual. What detained you?"

Waldemar had been in attendance at a political caucus, but to tell the bald truth would shock her.

He decided to embellish it slightly.

What do women know of politics anyway?

"Necessary business, my dear," he replied. "I was detained by necessary business."

"What kind of business?"

"Well, it was what you might call public business. Something in the nature of reform, you know."

"What kind of reform?"

"It was municipal reform. A lot of us got together to talk up certain matters that in our judgment need straightening."

"Where did you get together?"

"Where do you suppose, if not in my office?"

"I didn't know. Did you get the things straightened out?"

"Not altogether. We were merely deliberating."

"You smell of beer."

"Well, of course, some of the other fellows drank beer."

"So long after the rush hour?"

She shook her head.

"Waldemar," she said, "judged solely on its merits, your first attempt at sustained fiction is a sorry failure. Take my advice and don't try it again."

—Chicago Tribune.

ANDOVER CHURCHES.

South Church, Congregational
Central St. Organized 1711.
Frank R. Shipman, Pastor.

SUNDAY, APR. 26
10.30 a. m. Morning worship, with sermon by Rev. Arthur Little, D.D., of Dorchester. Also, sub-primary department, Sunday School to follow.
2.30. Salem Street Branch.
3.00. Junior Y. P. S. C. E.
6.30. Senior Y. P. S. C. E.
7.30. Evening Worship, with sermon by Dr. Little.

West Parish Congregational Church, Organized 1836.
Rev. G. A. Andrews, Pastor.

SUNDAY, APR. 26
10.30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor.
Sunday school to follow the morning service.
7.00 p. m. C. E. Missionary meeting, Mrs. W. A. Trow, leader.
Pastor will speak at the Abbott schoolhouse at 7 o'clock.
Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Service preparatory to Communion.

Christ Church, Episcopal, Central Street
Organized 1835. Rev. Frederic Palmer, Rector.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, APR. 26
10.30 a. m. Morning Prayer, with sermon by the rector.
Sunday School to follow.
7.00 p. m. Evening Prayer.
Monday, Girls' Friendly Society, 7.30 p. m.
Thursday, Young Men's Club, 7.30 p. m.
Saturday, G. F. S. Candidates' Class, 2.30 p. m.

Free Church, Congregational, Railroad St.
Organized 1846. Rev. Frederic A. Wilson, Pastor.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, APR. 26
10.30 a. m. Worship, with sermon by pastor.
12.00 p. m. Sunday School.
3.30 p. m. Preaching service in Free Village hall.
7.00 p. m. Evening service, conducted by C. E. Society.
Monday, 7.15 p. m. Young Men's club, with address by Rev. Chas. F. Marshall of Lawrence.

Haptist Church, cor. of Essex and Central Sts., Organized 1833. Rev. A. T. Belknap, Pastor.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, APR. 26
10.30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor. "The Religion of Manhood."
Sunday School to follow morning service.
6.45 p. m. C. E. meeting.
7.15 p. m. Preaching by the pastor. "The Office of Baptism."
Monday, 7.45. Teachers' meeting, led by Mr. S. L. Dixon.
Tuesday, 7.45. Special business meeting of the church.
Wednesday, 7.30. p. m. Prayer meeting.
Thursday, 3.00 p. m. Ladies' Study of the S. S. lesson.
7.45 p. m. Y. W. S. C. in the vestry.

Chapel Church, "On the Hill," Organized 1865. Connected with Andover Theological Seminary. The Seminary Professors, Pastors.

SERVICES SUNDAY, APR. 26
10.30 a. m. Morning service, Sermon by Rev. George E. Hall, D.D., of Dover, N. H.
4.30 p. m. Vesper service. Address by Dr. Hall.

St. Augustine's Church, Roman Catholic, Essex St. Organized 1850. Rev. Fr. Discoli, Pastor.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, APR. 26

8.30 A. M. Mass and instruction, Sunday School following.
10.30 A. M. High Mass and sermon.
8.30 P. M. Vespers.
First Sunday of each month, Communion day for children.
Second Sunday of each month, Communion day for children.
Third Sunday of each month, Communion and Rosary and Arch Confraternity.

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at 8.51; 8.51 acc. at 8.54; 9.22 acc. at 10.30;
9.58 ex. at 10.03; 10.28 ex. at 11.02; 11.10
acc. at 12.00. M. 12.11 ex. at 12.45; 12.57
acc. at 1.32; 1.18 acc. at 2.12; 1.55 acc. at 2.48;
2.40 acc. at 3.35; 4.10 acc. at 5.04; 5.46
acc. at 6.42; 7.15 acc. at 8.06; 8.42 acc. at 10.30.
SUNDAY: A. M. 7.34 ex. at 8.28; 8.33 ex. at 9.27;
10.12; P. M. 4.26 ex. at 5.18; 5.58 ex. at 6.59;
7.56; 8.21 ex. at 9.05; 9.30 ex. at 9.32. All but 8.21
train are accommodations.

BOSTON TO ANDOVER. A. M. 5.59 at 4.36;
5.58 acc. arrive in Andover, 6.55; 7.30 acc. at
8.18; 9.25 acc. at 10.25; 10.15 acc. at 11.18; 10.45
acc. at 11.26; 11.50 acc. at 12.40; 12.35 ex. at
1.00; 2.15 acc. at 3.02; 3.30 acc. at 4.07; 3.36
acc. at 4.40; 5.14 acc. at 5.50; 5.32 acc. at 6.23;
6.01 acc. at 6.48; 6.35 acc. at 7.31; 7.02 acc. at
7.53; 8.30 acc. at 10.22; 11.15 acc. at 11.58.
SUNDAY: A. M. 8.00 acc. at 9.02; 12.00 at 12.45.
P. M. 2.15 acc. at 3.05; 5.00 acc. at 6.06; 6.00 ex.
at 6.41; 8.40 acc. at 9.24.

ANDOVER TO LOWELL. A. M. 7.41 arrive in Low-
ell, 8.34; 8.21 ex. at 9.22; 10.32; 10.33 at 11.00;
11.10 at 11.41; P. M. 12.37 at 1.08; 2.40 at 3.19;
4.10 at 4.55; 5.40 at 6.30; 7.15 at 7.48; 9.42 at
10.40. SUNDAY: A. M. 8.33 at 9.17; P. M. 12.31
at 1.02; 4.26 at 4.57; 5.58 at 6.27; 8.30 at 9.01.

LOWELL TO ANDOVER. A. M. 6.50 at 8.18; 8.30
at 8.57; 9.25 at 10.25; 10.50 at 11.26. P. M. 12.05
at 12.40; 2.30 at 3.02; 3.55 at 4.40; 5.17 at 5.50;
6.15 at 6.48; 7.00 at 7.31; 9.25 at 10.22; 11.25 at
11.58. SUNDAY: A. M. 8.15 at 9.02. P. M. 12.05
at 12.45; 4.30 at 5.06.

WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS.
ANDOVER TO LAWRENCE. A. M. 6.55, 8.18, 8.57,
10.23, 11.10. P. M. 12.40, 1.00, 3.02, 4.07, 4.40,
5.50, 6.23, 6.48, 7.31, 8.53, 10.22, 11.58. SUNDAY:
A. M. 8.02. P. M. 12.45, 3.05, 6.06, 6.44, 9.24.

LAWRENCE TO ANDOVER. A. M. 6.40, 7.12,
7.28, 7.53, 8.07, 9.00, 9.27, 10.10, 10.45, 11.55.
P. M. 12.25, 1.00, 1.45, 2.30, 3.55, 5.35, 7.08,
8.32.

SUNDAY: A. M. 7.25, 8.18, P. M. 12.10, 4.20,
5.35, 6.46, 8.15, 8.24.

ANDOVER TO SALEM, MASS. A. M. 6.55, at 8.48;
7.41 at 8.40; P. M. 12.40 at 1.57; 1.18 at 2.32;
2.57 at 3.58.

SALEM TO ANDOVER, MASS. A. M. 7.00 at 8.21;
7.55 at 8.18; 11.30 at 12.37; 11.40 at 12.40;
12.05 at 3.02; 4.51 at 5.46; 5.51 at 7.15.

GOING EAST. A. M. 6.55, 8.21, 8.51, 8.57,
10.23, 11.10. P. M. 12.40, 1.00, 3.02, 4.07, 4.40,
5.50, 6.23, 6.48, 7.31, 8.53, 10.22, 11.58. P. M. 12.45,
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5.50, 6.23, 6.48, 7.31, 8.53, 10.22, 11.58.

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West.

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METHUEN.

SUCCESSFUL FAIR.

The fair under the auspices of St. Monica's church closed in town hall Monday night after a most successful run. It was intended to close the fair Saturday night, but because of the interest, it was decided to run it another night, and the attendance last night showed that those in charge were justified in so doing. An entertainment was given consisting of the following numbers:

George Taylor and Nellie Mack Dairy Maidens, Sunday school choir, Black face comedienne, Anna Maney Songs.

The prizes were last night awarded, and the winners, with the number of the winning tickets, are given below:

Domestic Table-Jardinier, Mrs. Easton, No. 62; bureau scarf, Mrs. Easton, No. 71; pair towels, Mr. McLean, No. 65; table linen, Mrs. Brady; Turkish mat, Katie Hoar, No. 44; suit case, Mrs. Maney, No. 18; pair pillows, Mary Doran, No. 95.

Married ladies' table-Spread, Minnie Connors, No. 18; storm skirt, Annie Lohr, No. 61; pair shoes, Annie Skiene, No. 43; sofa pillow, Peter Graham, No. 91; pin cushion, Anna Saunders, No. 1; shawl, number beans in bottle 478, nearest guess 475, Frances Sullivan; bed spread, Mrs. Easton, No. 72; hand painted handkerchief, Mary No. 35; jewelry, umbrella stand, Mrs. DeLaurier; suit of clothes, Robert Ayer.

Socially table-Name of "Sister" doll not guessed, name Sister-Elixir; sofa pillow, Mrs. Easton, No. 8; parlor table, Mary Maher, No. 4; pin cushion, Miss 529; Julia, Scott, 525; picture chair, No. 168.

Chair table-Sofa pillow, Eleanor Callan, No. 81.

Candy table-Guess cake weight 6 1-2 pounds, guessed six, won by C. Sappiere.

Best of race, No. 35, D. Storm, 45. Haverhill street; parlor set, No. 810, Thomas Charnley; chamber set, No. 1035, Dan Millington, Walnut street; barrel flour, No. 1102; ton coal, No. 478, M. Kennie; ten dollar gold piece, No. 835, Wm. Power, Spruce street; Lawrence, McKenna's picture, No. 1047, Walter F. Fitzmaurice, 353 Hampshire street; china tea set, No. 838, E. F. Ryan, 16 Union street; cord wood, No. 1222, Bouchard; gold watch, No. 1261, William Kelly, 11 Clinton court.

Contest for \$75 diamond ring: Sarah Naughton \$196.74; Mary E. Mahoney, \$174; Eliza Millington, \$240.40.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years it was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure by local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. H. Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a spoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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D. A. R. MEETING.

Mrs. Edward Austin entertained the members of the Samuel Adams chapter, D. A. R., at her home on Broadway, Lawrence, Saturday afternoon, at the regular April meeting. Over 50 members were present.

Mrs. Austin was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Henry A. Merrill, Mrs. John Q. Hill and Mrs. William Barnes. A business session was held and officers were elected as follows for the ensuing year: Mrs. Lewis E. Barnes, regent; Mrs. Sarah A. Keen, vice regent; Mrs. Helen F. Spooner, secretary; Mrs. Stephen J. Barker, treasurer; Miss M. E. Beedle, historian; Miss Ella P. Bodwell, registrar; Mrs. Jacob Emerson, Mrs. W. J. Nichols, Mrs. Josiah W. Bodwell, Mrs. Charles Austin, Mrs. George E. Woodbury, Mrs. Peter C. Row, and Mrs. John E. Davis, board of management. Mrs. L. E. Barnes was elected a delegate to represent the chapter in the old home week celebration.

Mrs. Belle Messer Donovan of Lawrence was elected to membership.

The chapter voted to attend the funeral of Mrs. Alvira G. Russell, Monday, in a body. A committee comprising Miss Camella A. Howe, Mrs. M. E. Dorward, Mrs. Jacob Emerson and Mrs. Frank Russell, who was appointed to prepare resolutions on the death of Mrs. Russell, who was a prominent member of the chapter.

After the business meeting an interesting paper on Alexander Hamilton was read by Miss Camella A. Howe. At the close of the paper refreshments were served. The hostesses were assisted in serving by Mrs. Arthur Jenkins and Mrs. William H. Sawyer.

The meeting proved an interesting and enjoyable one.

TWO OLD RESIDENTS DEAD.

Isabelle L. Moreland, widow of the late William Moreland, died at her home on Hampstead street at 12.30 o'clock Monday afternoon, aged 74 years, four months and eight days. She was a native of Methuen, and had a long life here. She is survived by one son, Albert L. Moreland. The funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her home, and interment was in Walnut Grove cemetery.

Andrew J. White, a well known and highly respected former resident of this town, died at his home in Salem, N. H., Tuesday at an advanced age. He was a native of Methuen, and spent the greater part of his life here, being engaged in the shoe business for many years. He leaves two sons, William and John.

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A customer of ours who had been suffering from a severe cough for six months, bought two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy from us, and was entirely cured by one and a half bottles of it. It gives perfect satisfaction with our trade. HAYNES-PARKER & CO., Lineville, Ala. For sale by E. M. & W. A. Allen, Andover.

FUNERAL OF MRS. RUSSELL.

Monday afternoon the body of the late Mrs. Alvira Gove Russell was taken to the funeral home in Walnut Grove cemetery. The service was held in the afternoon. Prayers were said at the home of Mrs. Russell's mother on Pelham street, at one o'clock by Rev. Sherman Gove of East Jaffrey, N. H. The body was then taken to the Baptist church where public services were held. The church was filled with sorrowing friends. Friends and relatives were in attendance from Arlington, Haverhill, Atkinson, Groveland, Wakefield, and New Hampshire. The service at the church was conducted by Rev. F. W. Blakeslee, the pastor, and Rev. Nathan Bailey of Peabody, formerly pastor here. Rev. Mr. Blakeslee read the scripture and offered prayer. Mr. Bailey spoke in eulogy of the deceased, whom all had known to love, and whose life had been an example of Christian virtue and devotion. Mrs. Anderson of Haverhill, a close friend of the deceased, sang "When the mist has cleared away," and "Beneath the wings of snow." Miss Sadie Newell of Haverhill officiated at the organ. The body reposed in a beautiful drab broadcloth casket with draperies, a wealth of flowers spoke in silent language of the love and esteem in which the deceased had been held by her friends. After the service the body was taken to Walnut Grove cemetery for interment. At the grave Rev. Mr. Gove pronounced the committal prayer. The pall bearers were William Smith of Amesbury, Charles Russell of Methuen, Rev. Sherman Gove of East Jaffrey, N. H., and George Slader.

HOW TO WARD OFF AN ATTACK OF RHEUMATISM.

"For years when spring time came on and I went into gardening, I was sure to have an attack of rheumatism and every attack was more severe than the preceding one," says Josie McDonald, of Man, Logan county, West Va. "I tried everything with no relief whatever, until I procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and the first application gave me ease, and before the first bottle was used I felt like a new person. Now I feel that I am cured, but I always keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm in the house, and when I feel any symptoms of a return I soon drive it away with one or two applications of this liniment." For sale by E. M. & W. A. Allen, Andover.

At the New Hampshire conference Monday at Woodsville, N. H., the appointments were made for Rev. W. T. Boutwellhouse to be transferred to Exeter, N. H., and Rev. W. F. Ineson comes to the local church. Rev. J. W. Adams who has been supplying in Derry, N. H., has retired, and his church is to be taken by Rev. W. S. Seale, former pastor of the First Baptist church in Portsmouth. Mr. Seale, formerly pastor here, has been given a mission in Arizona, and will labor there, while his son, Rev. Benson Wilkins who married Miss Mattie Field of Methuen, has been transferred from Smithtown, N. H., to Greenland, N. H., near Portsmouth.

Next Tuesday evening at the Methuen club the Old Home Week committee will meet the delegates appointed by the various town organizations, and confer with them in regard to the proposed celebration of a day in Old Home Week in Methuen. Interest in the undertaking appears to be general and a majority of the organizations have forwarded to the secretary the name of the delegate who has been chosen to represent the town. However, have failed to reply to the invitation of the committee. Several of the churches have been dilatory in attending to the matter and a few of the lodges and societies have failed to respond. It is the desire of the committee that every organization in town be represented by a delegate for only by a conference at which all are present can a general interest in the affair be stimulated. The committee earnestly requests all such organizations which have not yet attended to the appointment of a delegate to do so at once and forward the name of the delegate to the secretary.

The officials of the Boston & North-eastern railway company are still considering the best method of improving the condition of the track on Lowell street. Supt. Bruce said this morning that the company had the matter under advisement and would probably decide soon on what to do in the matter. The officials of the B. & N. have personally inspected this section, however, and will doubtless do something very soon to remedy the defects. The selectmen have asked, in accordance with the vote of the town, that the tracks be relaid with heavy rails the full length of Lowell street, from Hampshire street to the terminus.

Common crackers dry up the blood. "Trisculit" makes rich, red blood. Ask Grocers.

The case of the city of Lawrence against the town of Methuen, for the care of a small pox patient, is on the list at this term of superior court now sitting at Salem, but it is doubtful whether it will be reached. The selectmen have not been notified yet, that it is to come up. This is a case growing out of the Brown small pox case several years ago. It will be remembered that Mr. Brown was living in Methuen at the time he was taken ill, and that he was taken care of by Dr. O'Connor of Lawrence. Last year the city solicitor of Lawrence brought suit against Methuen claiming that Mr. Brown had a legal residence in Methuen and that the town should pay for the care of the case. This was denied by the local officials. It is understood that the case will hang on the question as to whether Brown had a legal residence in Methuen. If such was the case, the town will probably have to pay the expenses of the man, and cost of trial. The suit is for \$2500.

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COUNTY NEWS.

The High school cadets field day at Gloucester will take place May 29. In the award of licenses at Gloucester, eight of the old saloon keepers were turned down.

The Parker house, Lynn, has been refused a license by the license commissioners this year.

The annual reports of the Newburyport Y. M. C. A. show it to be in a prosperous condition.

Mrs. Sarah Choate Burnham of Essex is today observing the 96th anniversary of her birth.

Mrs. Stephen Hughes of North Andover was burned so severely, Friday, that she died Saturday.

Gloucester business men are to continue to hold Saturday night levees, as they believe it improves trade.

Henry Short, a well known veteran of the Civil war, died at Newburyport yesterday of pneumonia, aged 79.

A baby show held at Newburyport last week was very successful. Much interest was evinced at the affair.

Four fishermen were lost overboard from the Gloucester fishing schooner Independence last Thursday night.

Daniel Bowen of Haverhill fell down stairs, at his lodging house, Saturday night, and died Sunday at the hospital.

Rev. Nicholas Van der Pyl, of Holliston, has accepted a call to the First Congregational church at Marblehead.

George E. Kimball, brakeman on the Boston and Maine, had his neck broken in the Gloucester freight yard Friday evening.

Charles Chase accidentally shot at Salisbury last Monday, had his arm amputated at the Newburyport hospital yesterday.

Constable George P. Hooper of Gloucester helped a drunken sailor to his vessel and the latter repaid him by knocking him overboard.

The committee on public health of the legislature visited Lynn, recently, and inspected the running brooks and were entertained by the city.

C. H. Witham, of the Master Painters' association, objects to the statement that he has signed the agreement presented by the journeymen painters.

The Scepter, one of the Gloucester fishing schooners which had spent 18 weeks in the ice of the Bay of Islands, Newfoundland, arrived at her home port yesterday.

Edith, the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Paine of Guernsey street, Marblehead, met with an accident yesterday in which she was burned and very much frightened.

The heavy rains of last week flooded a portion of West Lynn, near the Boston & Maine station, and hundreds of cellars contain quantities of water, while the streets, sidewalks and yards are overflowed.

An overcoat with a bottle of whiskey in a pocket, and a man's hat, have been found on the shore of Lake Attitash, Amesbury. The towns police are inclined to believe that a man has jumped into the lake.

Captain Larkin of the Gloucester schooner Helen G. Wells was washed overboard by heavy sea Tuesday night. A rope was washed over with him. He caught it and was, after a long delay, hauled back to the vessel.

Four members of Parker Burnham's family at Gloucester were nearly asphyxiated Tuesday evening, by coal gas. The fifth member happened to awake, and being less affected, was able to summon assistance in the nick of time.

The day force of the Lynn police "got a call down," yesterday, for not lining up in good military style when the line was formed for roll call. The men claim that they are not to blame when such commands as "Half face about" and "Back up" are given.

Two Haverhill express companies refused to sign the union agreement yesterday and their employees, promptly struck. The men demand a 10-hour day, with a minimum wage of \$11 and \$12, and \$11 for jumpers, with 25 cents per hour for overtime, and double pay on Sundays and holidays.

Curtis W. Deschamp, the three year-old son of Nathan and Annie Deschamp, was swinging with his aunt in the yard of the house, 3 Ferry street, the other afternoon, when the crossbar supporting the swings broke. In falling the bar struck the boy on the breast over the heart. He was picked up in an unconscious condition and survived only an hour.

The body of Fred Melanson, aged 36, was found Friday hanging over a bawler attached to a scow lying at the coal wharf. Three years ago his son Frank, aged seven years, was drowned in the same spot, and it is suspected that the father, who had been brooding the last few days over the death of a brother, went there for the purpose of ending his life.

The new schooner Manhasset, Capt. Dexter Malone, Gloucester, completed a remarkable year's record, recently. In just a year, she has made the remarkable record of 4 trips, which is probably unequalled by any other vessel of the fishing fleet, fishing off shore. Capt. Malone is too well known to need any fulsome praise. Both here and at Boston his position as one of the leaders of the fresh fishing fleet has been secure for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Radford, of Danvers, were painfully injured in a runaway accident at Middleton, Wednesday evening. Mr. Radford sustaining two fractures of the arm, and Mrs. Radford being painfully, but not dangerously, injured about the chest and other portions of the body. They were riding towards home, when Mrs. Radford was taken suddenly ill. In trying to assist her, Mr. Radford loosened his grasp of the reins and the horse bolted around a corner, tipping the carriage over and throwing them both out. The horse then ran away and was not captured for some hours.

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formerly, were all knotty. The skin was drawn taut. The joints fairly bulged under the swollen tissues. Look at the picture of his hand. Behold it (in No. 2) as it looked after the disease had become firmly fixed in the system and done its terrible work. Then observe the difference in No. 1, which was five weeks after he had been pronounced cured by "Blood Wine." As bad as the man was "Blood Wine" cured him. You do not want a hand like the lower one. No; you do not even want rheumatism to get into your system. Subdue it. Conquer it. Just the slightest ache should be stopped. Take my word for it, "Blood Wine" is a never-failing, curative agent. No matter

